





306 Olive street, the day before the election, and informed of the details of Frederick's fraudulent dealings with that institution.

Frederick was in seclusion today in his home, 5185 Westminister place, at liberty under the \$10,000 bond furnished for him yesterday afternoon by Chris Schmolli, a professional bondsman, following his indictment for first degree forgery. He could not be seen, to be questioned regarding the report that he would plead guilty to the Weinheimer forgery charge and to a 10-year penitentiary sentence, to escape prosecution for other frauds, and with the hope of obtaining release on parole after a few years.

That no such agreement had been reached with the Circuit Attorney was shown by the manner in which the inquiry into the Night and Day Bank transactions was carried on. The grand jury is said to have been informed that George B. Webster, attorney for the bank and attorney for Schmolli, was instructed by the bank officers, the Sunday before the election, to notify the responsible leaders of the Republican party of the facts which the bank had established as to Frederick's doings.

The grand jury will also investigate reports that Republican politicians raised the \$5000 which Frederick paid to the Night and Day Bank to cancel his indebtedness there. Frederick paid the Night and Day Bank in cashiers' checks, and he was required to cancel and destroy the fraudulent checks of trust, after photographs had been taken of them, and to sign a resignation as President of the Board of Aldermen.

Attitude of Bank Officials. The officials of the bank thought that Schmolli, as head of the Republican organization, ought to be made fully conversant with the nature of Frederick's fraudulent transactions, so that he might inform the other Republican committeemen. It was expected that Schmolli and the committeemen, having knowledge of Frederick's traffic in bogus checks of trust, would take steps to prevent his election, so that St. Louis might not be disgraced by having elected a forger to one of the three most important offices in the city.

Philip McDermott, member of the Democratic City Committee from the Twenty-eighth Ward, has also been called as a witness. McDermott is expected to testify that he made an effort before the election to get hold of the evidence which the Night and Day Bank had against Frederick, so that he might expose him.

Circuit Attorney Harvey called attention to the fact yesterday that as Frederick's resignation, delivered to the Night and Day Bank officials April 5, the day preceding the election, was dated April 20, there was nothing to prevent Frederick from taking out his certificate of election, qualifying for the office and presiding at the first meeting of the Board of Aldermen.

Give Notice of Resignation. The object of the Night and Day Bank officials in obtaining Frederick's resignation, dated in advance, was to give him an opportunity to resign gracefully, in the event that there was no exposure of his traffic in fraudulent checks of trust. It was understood that he might give ill-health as the reason for resigning, if he wished, but that if he attempted to take his seat as President of the Board of Aldermen the written resignation would be presented by officials of the bank.

The Night and Day Bank officials were greatly surprised when Frederick returned to St. Louis from Milwaukee. They believed when he left St. Louis that he never would return. Frederick gave out definite information in Milwaukee, declaring that he had signed no resignation, that he did not intend to resign, and that nobody had the power to force him to resign.

He did not know at that time that the officials of the Night and Day Bank had made photographic copies of the worthless checks of trust which he pledged as security for a loan, and he thought that the documentary evidence of his act had been destroyed.

Denials Made by Schmolli. Schmolli has denied that he was notified by the Night and Day Bank officials of Frederick's transactions. The afternoon of the election he was interviewed by Post-Dispatch reporters. He said he had not helped to raise money to pay off Frederick's indebtedness to the bank.

In the published interview Schmolli declared that Frederick could not and would not be elected.

The Globe-Democrat, on April 7, the morning after the aldermanic election, quoted Chairman Schmolli as follows:

"The purported news story in the Post-Dispatch that I had said Frederick could not and would not be elected was absolutely untrue. I made no such statement. On the contrary, I said that Frederick would be elected by at least 800."

A Post-Dispatch reporter, talking with Schmolli over the telephone about 9:30 a. m., Wednesday, April 7, when Schmolli was at his residence, 5185 Westminister place, asked the Republican chairman if he had been correctly quoted in the Globe-Democrat that morning.

"That statement is correct," Schmolli stated he had been quoted correctly in the Globe-Democrat. The Post-Dispatch reporter then told Chairman Schmolli that the Post-Dispatch intended to make it clear that day that he had not been misquoted in the late editions of the Post-Dispatch on election day.

"In view of that, Mr. Schmolli, and by there can be no possible chance of your saying later you were misquoted in the Globe-Democrat, I shall read your purported statement as it appears in the Globe-Democrat," the reporter said.

"The reporter read the statement, and then asked:

"Now, Mr. Schmolli, do you say you are correctly quoted there?"

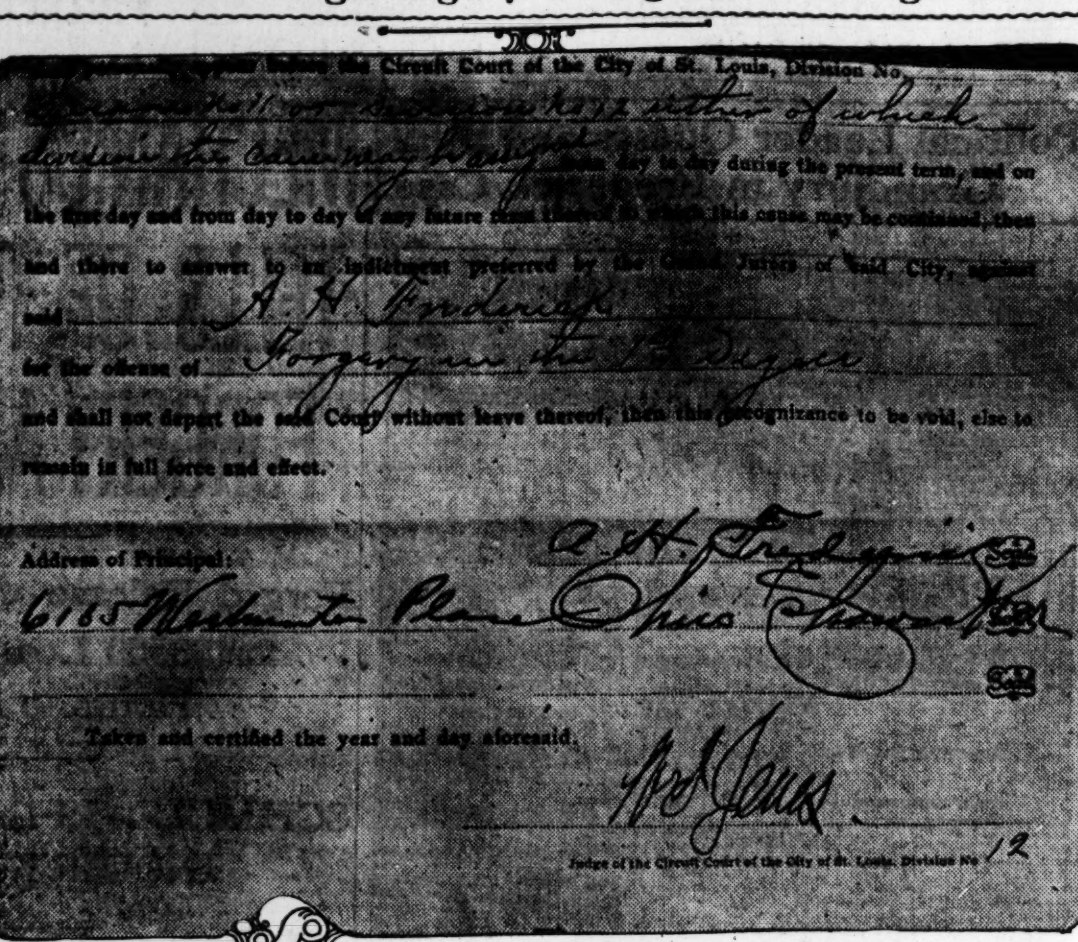
"Yes," Schmolli replied, "that statement is correct."

The reporter reminded Schmolli of the Post-Dispatch's intention to make it clear to its readers, in the editions that day, that no mistake had been made in quoting Schmolli as saying that Frederick could not and would not be elected.

The conversation ended by Schmolli saying that in that event, all he could say was that he would bring suit against the Post-Dispatch.

Nearly a week before the election a Post-Dispatch reporter requested Schmolli, as the official head of the Republican party, to make a demand upon Walker Hill, president of the Mechanics-American National Bank, for the facts connected with Frederick's trouble with that institution in 1914. Schmolli refused to make the demand, declaring that he

## Photograph of That Part of Frederick Release Bond Showing Forgery Charge and the Signatures



to him yesterday afternoon, was sitting in a chair in the center of Circuit Judge Jones' chambers in the Municipal Court room. He appeared dejected, and rested his head on one hand. When a deputy Sheriff entered and called him by name, Frederick straightened up and listened listlessly, to the formal reading of the warrant.

"All right," he said, after the warrant was read, and then he fell back into his former position. Frederick then signed the \$10,000 bond in a hand which gave no indication of nervousness or physical weakness. Chris Schwacker, a professional bondsman, then signed the bond. Frederick had been at the Municipal Court Building almost an hour before he was at liberty to go, without being under the surveillance of city detectives, in his home and every place he went, for 24 hours.

Frederick, his counsel and his son-in-law, H. F. Hunter of Milwaukee, left the building by a private elevator, used to convey prisoners to the courtroom cage. They descended to the basement and went to the southwest corner of the building, where Frederick, hiding his face from newspaper photographers and a small crowd which had gathered at that point, climbed into a waiting limousine.

Women Investors See Him. Two interested spectators of his departure from the building were Mrs. Weinheimer and her daughter, Mrs. Clark, who were looking out of a window of the grand jury room, where they were waiting to testify how Frederick had sold worthless deeds to Mrs. Weinheimer.

It developed that Mrs. Weinheimer had planned to buy an automobile, but has abandoned this idea, now that her money is gone through her investments with Frederick.

Frederick Gets His Certificate. Board Issues Election Credentials, Although One Member Opposes Action.

Henry Kortjohn Jr., attorney for Frederick, obtained the certificate of Frederick's election from the Board of Election Commissioners yesterday afternoon.

Election Commissioner Wright asked Kortjohn what he knew as to Frederick's resignation. Wright said that he had no statement to make on that subject. A vote of the board was taken. Commissioners Drabell, May and Buder favored the granting of the election certificate, and Commissioner Wright voted against it.

Commissioner Wright said: "I decline to vote for the granting of this certificate upon the ground that this board is entitled to all the facts relative to the alleged resignation of Mr. Frederick, and that, in my opinion, no certificate should be granted until the board can investigate these facts to determine exactly what was Mr. Frederick's position relative to the candidacy when the election was being held April 6, 1915."

Frederick yesterday forwarded his campaign expense account to the Board of Election Commissioners. It was as follows:

MARCH, 1915.

Printing fee, \$20.00  
20,000 large cards, Frederick Printing Co., \$10.00  
St. Louis Times, advertising, \$25.00  
Westliche Post, advertising, \$25.00  
Sample ballots, circulars, etc., \$45.00  
Special advertisement in Globe-Democrat, \$45.00

Westliche Post, advertisement, \$75.00  
20,000 cards, Frederick Printing Co., \$10.00  
20,000 large cards, Frederick Printing Co., \$10.00  
St. Louis Times, advertising, \$25.00  
St. Louis Star, advertising, \$25.00  
20,000 postal cards and printing, \$50.00  
Distributors of cards, \$10.00  
Modern View, \$10.00  
Postage, \$10.00  
Advance, negro paper, and another, \$25.00  
Incidental cards, etc., \$10.00

Total \$560.00  
A. H. FREDERICK  
Martha S. Watson, Notary Public.

The expense account was submitted to the board by Attorney Kortjohn. Chairman Schmolli says Frederick had not paid his assessment made against him, as against other aldermanic candidates, by the Republican City Committee. The amount of Frederick's assessment was \$90.

Spring Decorating? Have you seen the new line of spring wall hangings at Ehrhardt Bros' new shop, 2935 Olive street? They are extremely artistic and prices in reach of all. Ehrhardt Bros. 2935, Oliver 221, Oliver 222.

Frederick Hears Bench Warrant. Frederick, when the bench warrant charging first-degree forgery was issued

## SCHMOLLI TELLS WHAT HE KNEW OF FREDERICK DEALS

Says Attorney Webster Didn't Give Him Whole Story of Day and Night Bank Case.

Chairman Schmolli of the Republican City Committee made a public statement before he entered the grand jury room this afternoon as to the extent to which he knew of Frederick's fraudulent transactions in advance of the aldermanic election of April 6.

Schmolli said that, several days before the election, he was told that Frederick had been forced to make good a loan he had obtained on a deed of trust from a woman and that a forgery had figured in the transaction. He decided, he said, that if this was true Frederick should be forced to withdraw as a candidate.

Schmolli said he was told of a lawyer who had represented the woman who had had the deed of trust to make restitution to her. He went to Henry Kortjohn Jr., as Kortjohn knew the lawyer, and, telling him of the report, asked him to look into it. Kortjohn, he said, told him the charge was false, and that the lawyer whom Schmolli had named to him denied that such a transaction had taken place. "That settled the matter so far as I was concerned," said Schmolli.

What Webster Told Him. Monday, April 5, the day before the election, Schmolli said, George B. Webster, attorney for the Night and Day Bank, and legal representative of the Republican Committee, told him that the United States and that the stars and stripes be displayed at half staff upon all Federal buildings, forts, military posts and naval stations, American Embassies and Consulates, and at half mast upon all vessels of the United States.

Webster, Schmolli said, told him the bank "feared there was some irregularity," and that Frederick had repaid the loan by taking the deeds of trust he had put up as security. Schmolli declared that Webster did not tell him the entire story as now known. He did not tell Schmolli, the latter declared, that the bank had found conclusive evidence of fraud, and had required Frederick to write an official resignation.

From what Webster did tell him, Schmolli said, he imagined that the bank merely became afraid of the loan and called it in, as banks sometimes do where no criminality is involved.

"Trying to open the book," Schmolli said, "and had I known that Frederick had resigned, I would not have concealed those facts."

He went on to say that, with the information he had, he would not have been morally justified in making his misgivings public on the eve of an election, and that he might himself have been liable to a criminal charge.

Frederick declared also that he had no part in aiding to make a financial settlement with the bank. Schmolli complained that he was trying to "pass the buck" to him in the Frederick matter.

TELEGRAPH COMPANIES KEEP BLACKLIST, OPERATORS SAY

Men Enrolled Upon It, Are Reinstated Only Upon Surrender of Union Card, He Asserts.

CHICAGO, April 14.—C. H. McElreath, a press telegrapher, employed in Detroit, testified today before the United States commission on Industrial Relations that the commercial telegraph companies maintain a blacklist. "I am on it because I am a union man," he said, and added he was sure the list was interchangeable between the Western Union and the Postal Telegraph Companies. He said the list was available to the railroad companies.

"Do blacklisted men ever obtain reinstatement?" Frank P. Walsh, chairman of the commission, asked.

"Yes, by surrendering their manhood by accepting their union cards," McElreath replied.

T. W. Carroll, superintendent of traffic of the Western division of the Western Union Telegraph Co., said in answer to questions:

"I am given twice a day for 15 minutes. These fellows are a matter of record, and I can provide you with from one to 100,000 of these records."

The witness gave the wages of 600 Chicago telegraphers as typical. All except 50 are paid from \$70 to \$100 a month, and the other half of these receiving \$75 or \$85. Three operators earn \$100 monthly.

Founder of Women's Club Federation Dies.

CHICAGO, April 14.—Mrs. Saviliah Wyatt Latham, 81 years old, the founder of the Federation of Women's Clubs, is dead at her home in Lincoln, Ill., according to word received here today.

July wheat rose even more sharply than May, although July is a new crop delivery. Before the finish July soared to \$1.35, a total ascent of 94c compared with last night. Heavy profit-taking broke the market back 4c from the top, but on a resumption of active buying prices started upward again. The close was excited, with the market as a whole ranging 3/4c to 5c above last night.

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WARSHIPS SEARCH ATLANTIC FOR ANOTHER GERMAN RAIDER

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## HOW FREDERICK WORKED HIS SCHEMES BY FORGERY

HOW Frederick, a real estate agent of unquestioned reputation, could defraud an innocent investor is revealed in Frederick's dealing with Mrs. Anna Weinheimer.

Mrs. Weinheimer had a little money in 1909. Relying upon Frederick's supposed integrity, she asked his advice as to the best means of putting it to work. He told her he had a good first mortgage and advised her to but it for \$3500, which she did.

The deed of trust had been made by Mr. and Mrs. Frederick H. Gossett of 4024 North Newstead avenue and pledged their home as security for a \$3500 loan. The Gossetts paid their interest notes regularly and Mrs. Weinheimer was satisfied with her investment.

When the note matured in 1912, the Gossetts wished to renew it. But they decided that Frederick charged too much commission (real estate commissions in such cases are around 2 per cent of the face value of the note, more or less) and went to William Hauschulte, representing the Northwestern Bank.

They made a new deed of trust and new principal and interest notes. Hauschulte sent a check for \$3526 to Frederick, demanding the return and cancellation of the old deed of trust and the old notes.

Frederick, instead of telling the truth, told Mrs. Weinheimer that the Gossetts had applied to him for a renewal of their loan and asked her to send him the old notes and deed of trust. She did so. Frederick turned them over to Hauschulte, but before he did so he forged a duplicate of the deed.

He sent the duplicate, along with forged renewal and interest notes, back to Mrs. Weinheimer, but he kept the money Hauschulte had paid him for himself. Mrs. Weinheimer did not know the difference. As Frederick subsequently paid the interest notes out of his own pocket as they came due, she did not suspect her new loan was not genuine.

While he had the first deed in his possession, Frederick made a second duplicate, it is believed. This duplicate was sold to still another investor, whose identity has not yet been made public.

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at 4026 North Newstead avenue and was made in 1909. After it had been taken up and canceled the forged deed for which Frederick was first indicted was made. The other Weinheimer deed was the duplicate of an original released by Frederick Nov. 20, 1914, less than three months after it had been made.

Postoffices to Close Part of Tomorrow; Flags at Half Staff by President's Order.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—Instructions were being sent out from here today to all parts of the world where the United States is officially represented for the observance of the fiftieth anniversary of the death of Abraham Lincoln tomorrow.

President Wilson had issued an executive order directing that as a tribute to the memory of the martyred President, the day be observed by the closing of the executive offices of the United States, and that the stars and stripes be displayed at half staff upon all Federal buildings, forts, military posts and naval stations, American Embassies and Consulates, and at half mast upon all vessels of the United States.

In addition, the owners and masters of all United States merchant ships have been requested to display the national flag at half mast.

Inquiries came to the White House today from the heads of several departments as to whether the executive order applied to all Federal Government branches throughout the country. The reply was that all such branches, except where pressing public business would be interfered with, must be closed.

The President's order, as far as can be learned, is the first recognition in this way of an anniversary of the death of a President.

Holiday hours will be observed as far as practicable in all postoffices tomorrow. Postmaster-General Burleson ordered that all offices close at least part of the day.

THREE JAPANESE WARSHIPS RECENTLY IN TURTLE BAY

Los Angeles Newspaper Correspondent Says Lower California Harbor Was Mined.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 14.—Three Japanese warships, under command of Admiral Nakagawa, with six colliers and supply ships, manned by about 4000 men, were recently in Turtle Bay, Lower California, standing by the stranded Japanese cruiser Asama, according to a staff correspondent of the Los Angeles Times, who has just returned from an investigation. Turtle Bay is 49 miles south of San Diego, Cal., and is said to be the best harbor north of Magdalena Bay, the west coast rendezvous of the United States navy.

No effort is being made to float the Asama. Japanese officers, said the correspondent, declared they were awaiting the arrival of a crane ship.

The correspondent asserts Turtle Bay was mined by the Japanese, that ammunition was landed, a camp established and preparations made to land guns from the Asama. The mines were laid, the correspondent says he was told, as a precaution against a German attack.

The warships guarding the Asama were the Chitose, Izumo and Tokiwa. When the correspondent sought to get close to these vessels and to visit the Asama he says he was arrested and told by Lieut. Tomasada of the Izumo that it was dangerous to cruise about the bay and that visiting was discouraged.

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## SYRETT WANTED FOR PASSING BAD CHECKS; MISSING

Former Realty Man Said Not to Have Been at Maplewood Home for Four Days.

Policemen who went to the home of Alfred W. Syrett, former real estate dealer, in Maplewood, today to arrest him on a charge of cashing two bogus checks, reported that they were advised he had not been home for four days.

Syrett, who had a meteoric career as a real estate dealer in St. Louis, from 1900, when he arrived from England, until 1906, when he jumped his bond after being arrested on a charge of negotiating forged deeds of trust, was released eight months ago from the Missouri penitentiary.

He was arrested in New York in 1910 and returned to St. Louis. He was sentenced to serve four years in prison. Syrett conducted a small newspaper in Maplewood for a time after his release from prison, and recently has been employed as a salesman for the Helene Products Co., 610 South Vandeventer avenue.

George Reister, proprietor of a saloon at 371 Market street, reported to the police that on April 3 he cashed for Syrett a \$27.50 check signed with the name of W. L. Sturdevant. It was returned by the American Trust Co., on which it was drawn, and was marked "No Account."

Jacob Westermann of the Westermann Provision Co., 608 South Vandeventer avenue, said he cashed Syrett's personal check for \$15 and that the Maplewood Bank, on which it was drawn, reported there were insufficient funds in Syrett's account to pay it.

Syrett has a wife and five children living in Maplewood.

Stix, Baer & Fuller Choral and Glee Club.

A large attendance is assured for the annual concert of the Stix, Baer & Fuller Choral and Glee Club, which will take place at Trimp's Hall on Friday evening. Over 1500 tickets have been sold and the members of the firm and heads of the departments and their wives will be on hand to show their appreciation of this studious work of the organization now in its fifth year.

The soloists for the concert Friday evening will be Miss Helen Renstrom, soprano, and Miss Hazel Spensler, contralto.

KINDLE ANGER IN TROOPS, ADVICE OF CONAN DOYLE

He Would Arouse British Against "European Red Indians Who Torture Prisoners."

LONDON, April 14.—Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, in a long letter to the Times, discussing charges of cruelty of the Germans to British prisoners, and the possibility of retaliation, says:

"It is difficult to know how to act in the case of the European red Indians who torture their prisoners. It is clear that we cannot retaliate by torturing, beating, starving or freezing the Germans who are in our power. All appeals to good feeling are unavailing, for the average German has no more understanding of civility than a cow has of mathematics. If there is no retaliation which was a nation can employ, there is at least one of action which might be taken; that is, to print Maj. Vandeleur's accounts with the American official reports and such documents as the narrative in the Dutch paper Thyd of the torture of three wounded British prisoners in a frontier station in October."

"This paper should be officially sent not only to all neutral countries, but it should be circulated among our soldiers in France. No man fights the worse for having his soul aflame with righteous anger, and it would teach our men also, if any of them still needs the lesson, that it is far better to die on the field than to trust to the humanity of a German victor."

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## POSTAL STATION WAS TAKEN FROM NEW ALDERMAN

Inspectors Charged Dates on Money Orders and Stubs Used in Drug Store of Harry S. Konetzky Did Not Agree—Clerk's Mistake, He Said.

### REQUEST TO RESTORE OFFICE WAS REFUSED

Postoffice Action Preceded by Several Months a Demand on Druggist by Surety Concern for Balance Due Gas Company.

It was learned today by a Post-Dispatch reporter that Harry S. Konetzky, who was elected Alderman from the third ward at the election April 6, was deprived of a postoffice station in his drug store at 2720 North Fifteenth street by Postmaster Selph March 18, 1914, after examiners had discovered irregularities in the handling of the money order business in the postoffice station.

The Post-Dispatch the day before the election and on election day published details of a discrepancy of \$728.06 in Konetzky's accounts as a collection agent for the Laclede Gas Light Co. last October. Konetzky, on demand that he make good that amount to the Equitable Surety Co., which had signed his bond, gave a worthless check. Later he paid the bonding company the amount he had failed to account for to the Gas Co.

There was no charge by Government officers that there was an actual shortage in his postoffice accounts, but the condition of his records caused the examiners to advise that the station be removed from his store.

Dates on Orders and Stubs Differ. It is known that they reported that Konetzky had issued a number of money orders, the dates of which did not correspond with the dates on the stubs of the same numbers. They reported that the dates were several days subsequent to the dates on the money orders.

The effect of this, the examiners said, would be to give Konetzky the opportunity of "kiting" the orders, and that he would be in a position to use the Government's money for several days, as it apparently need not be accounted for by him until the date on the stub.

Business men in the neighborhood of Fifteenth street and St. Louis avenue, where Konetzky's store is, not knowing the cause of the removal of the station, signed a petition to Postmaster Selph, urging that it be restored. They said that it was a convenient place for them to transact their postal business.

Brogan Intercedes for Konetzky. At the solicitation of these business men, State Senator Joseph Brogan, a saloon keeper in business across the street from the Konetzky store, visited the Postmaster. It is known that he was informed of the reasons for the removal of the station. Senator Brogan admitted to a Post-Dispatch reporter that he had visited Postmaster Selph in the interest of Konetzky, but said that he could not recall just what information had been given to him.

Konetzky today when asked by the reporter about the reasons for the removal of the station, said that he believed one of his clerks had made a mistake in issuing an order, and that his explanation of the mistake was not considered sufficient by the postal authorities.

He admitted that he went to the Postmaster in an effort to have the station restored, and that the trip was useless.

Postmaster Selph said the postal regulations would not permit him to discuss the Konetzky case.

Station Help Gets Trade. The station in Konetzky's store was known as Contract Station No. 47. Such stations pay salaries of from \$50 to \$200 per year, according to the amount of business done. They also are considered valuable by druggists because of the persons brought into the store to transact postal business and who make other purchases.

The Board of Aldermen, under the new charter, is the judge of the qualifications of its members, and may by a three-fourths majority vote refuse to seat a member, although he was legally elected, if the Aldermen consider him disqualified by his record.

"ACTUOUS" ACT ACTIVELY. For La Grippe and Colds.

### BRYAN TALKS WITH CHINESE AND JAPANESE DIPLOMATS

Understood Interview with Minister and Ambassador Dealt With Chinese Question.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—Viscount Tada, Japanese Ambassador, held a long conference with Secretary Bryan today, and later the Secretary was closeted for a long interview with the Chinese Minister and his secretary. Neither Secretary Bryan nor the diplomats would discuss the subject of their conference, but it was understood they dealt with the China-Japanese negotiations now in progress.

Dr. A. F. Johnson and Dr. C. E. Cleveland, dentists, formerly at 814 Washington av., are now at 615 Locust st.

Arkansas Town Burned. JONESBORO, Ark., April 14.—Dell, a town of 200 inhabitants east of here, was practically destroyed by fire yesterday. Sixteen business buildings were burned. Only one store remains standing in the prohibition is approved it will become effective Jan. 1, 1915.

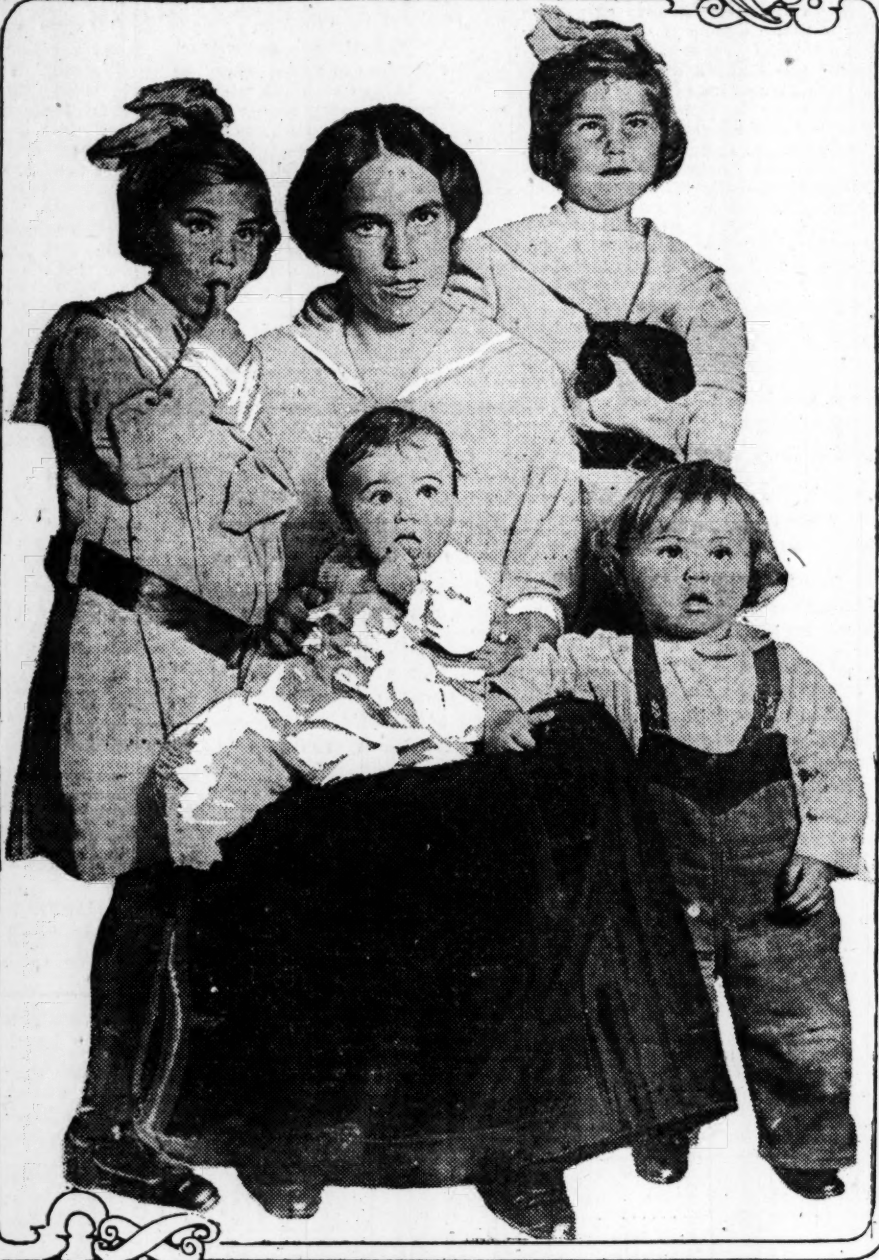
## Family of New Pugilistic Champion



Mrs. Jess Willard, wife of the man who restored the fighting honors to the White Race by knocking out Jack Johnson, and their four children. The picture was made just after Mrs. Willard had received word of her husband's victory at their little home on Gregory avenue, Hollywood, Cal.

Left to right are Frances H., aged 4; Mrs. Willard; Valla, aged 7; Baby Anette, aged 5 months, and Jesse Jr., aged 16 months.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard were married in Leavenworth, Kan., in March, 1907.



THE WILLARD FAMILY... PHOTO BY INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE.

## Fighting Resumed in Dardanelles; Two Ships Struck

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grad declares fighting is in progress more than 14 miles to the south of Dardanelles, which would indicate a considerable Russian advance in the direction of the Hungarian Plains. The Teutonic forces still hold Uskok Pass and continue their ceaseless counter attacks, but last night the Russians announced the capture of three more heights, within four or five miles of that vital gateway.

Today's statement from the French war office says a Zeppelin alarhup threw bombs on Balieul, a town in France in the Department of Nord, near the Belgian frontier. Three civilians were killed. Two German aeroplanes were brought down within the French lines, one near Braine and the other near Luneville. A third German machine, winged by the fire of French advance posts, fell near Ormes, north of Verdun. One of the aviators was hit by a bullet.

The official statement from German headquarters says fighting continues between the Meuse and Moselle. The French penetrated the German positions at Marcheville, but were driven out by counter attacks.

### AUSTRIANS BEATEN AT MEZOLABORCZ

Main Crest in District Considered Impregnable Now in Russian Hands.

LEMBERG, April 14.—In a desperate attack by the Russians on the right flank of the Austrian position at Mezolaborc, on the Hungarian side of the East Beskid Mountains and about fifty miles from Przemyel, the Austrians were forced, after a 12-hour battle, to make a precipitate retreat. The whole main crest in this district, which the Austrians considered to be impregnable, now is in Russian hands.

The main body of the Austrian army then moved on Rostoka, where they found the Russians prepared in a strong defensive position, and they again were repulsed. Another attack made by the

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Austrians in the southern district of Uskok and Veretzkim met with a similar check, the Russians occupying a position three miles from Uskok.

The left flank of this Austrian army, under command of Archduke Joseph Ferdinand, is being gradually exposed by the Russian advances toward Bartfeld and Gummio.

PETROGRAD, April 14.—Austro-German forces, which still hold isolated summits of the Carpathians, are contesting stubbornly every foot of the Russian advance along the front from Bartfeld to Stry. This front runs almost due east and west for 115 miles. Bartfeld is in Northern Hungary and Stry in Eastern Galicia, south of Lemberg.

Attacks and counter attacks followed with much rapidity that both sides may be said to be taking the offensive simultaneously. The shocks are resulting in unusually heavy casualties, with only a slight change in the comparative positions of the opposing forces.

Uskok, near the pass of that name, remains in the possession of the Austrians, but the Russians have captured the heights to the northward, coming within three miles of the railroad station, and their occupation of the town itself is expected here.

The Austrians are vigorously repeating their efforts to penetrate from Bukovina into Russian territory in the direction of Chotin. The Russians characterize the move as a device on the part of the Austrians for drawing Russian troops from the Carpathians.

American Ship Taken to British Court for Trying to Evade Adversity. LONDON, April 14.—The American steamer Joseph W. Fordney and her cargo have been thrown into the prize court at Kirkwall. The Admiralty charges the steamer attempted to evade search when bound with a cargo of forage for Malmo, Sweden.

The Swedish steamer Hilding from New York for Copenhagen, was taken to Leith April 9. The Admiralty alleges the vessel had copper in her cargo which was not on her manifest.

Italy Said to Have Agreed to Arbitration for Servia. LONDON, April 14.—After prolonged negotiations, says the Daily Mail's Rome correspondent, "Italy has agreed with the Entente Powers to support Servia's claims to an outlet on the Adriatic coast."

### THE POST-DISPATCH IS PRAISED BY SPEAKER

At the regular monthly meeting and dinner of the Motor Accessory Trade Association of St. Louis, held in the Mercantile Club, Tuesday evening, the principal speaker was E. S. Babcox, advertising manager of the Firestone Tire and Rubber Co. of Akron, O. Babcox is considered one of the cleverest advertising writers in the United States, and prominent member of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World. His concern is one of the biggest advertisers in the country.

In his speech Babcox paid a proud tribute to the Post-Dispatch as an advertising medium. He said that while in Washington, D. C., recently he watched men carving a stone Sphinx. On one side were the rough workers, chipping the stone, while on the other side clever sculptors, with delicate tools, were bringing out the fine points of the figure.

"Now," he said, "the men doing the rough work were the advertisements and the men doing the delicate work the salaried men who bring out the fine points of the goods offered for sale." "Magazine advertising is all right for a product that is to be spread over the country, but for your purpose, gentlemen, an advertisement in the Post-Dispatch, well written and commensurate with your goods, is far more valuable to you as a business bringer."

## BULL'S RAMPAGE INVOLVES WOMEN IN PROSECUTIONS

Two Kirkwood Neighbors Cause Each Other's Arrest and Police Tie the Animal.

A warrant charging assault with intent to kill was issued at Clayton yesterday afternoon against Mrs. Stephen B. Spinks of 551 South Harrison street, Kirkwood, on complaint of Mrs. Rebecca Waxelman of 24 Lee avenue, Kirkwood. Mrs. Waxelman is also under arrest, having been charged with disturbing the peace by Mrs. Spinks.

Both arrests are the result of a quarrel over a bull owned by Mrs. Waxelman, which escaped from the pasture and invaded the Spinks' premises. The bull also was taken into custody.

Mrs. Waxelman in applying for the warrant told Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Brooks that Mrs. Spinks fired two shots at her and four shots at her bull. Mrs. Spinks, when interviewed by a Post-Dispatch reporter by telephone, denied that she had fired at either Mrs. Waxelman or the bull. She said the bull ran into her yard and was chasing her 9-year-old son. Fearing the boy would be injured, she said, she fired five or six revolver shots in the air to divert the animal's attention. She said Mrs. Waxelman ran into the yard, but was more than 100 feet from her when the shots were fired.

Mrs. Spinks, after the visit of the bull to her home, telephoned for the police. Two Kirkwood officers answered the call, but they were obliged to call upon the aid of several citizens before the bull was subdued and locked up in the pasture where it belonged.

Mrs. Waxelman's trial is set for Thursday before Police Judge Jacob in Kirkwood. Mrs. Spinks' preliminary hearing is set for April 27 in Clayton.

For Moving Picture Patrons. See the moving picture features advertised on today's first Want page.

### HOW TURNED DOWN BY HOBOS

BALTIMORE, April 14.—James Eads How of St. Louis is no longer the leader of the Brotherhood Welfare Association. At the national conference yesterday the Industrial Workers of the World faction carried the day. Alexander Law of New York, How's chief lieutenant for several years, was chosen leader of the hobos.

15 Persons Killed at Russian Still. PETROGRAD, April 14.—Fifteen persons were killed last night by an explosion in an illicit alcohol distillery at Volkovo, a suburb of this city. Serious damage was caused by the fire which followed.

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## SUIT ORDERED TO PUT A. H. KUHS OUT OF SCHOOL BOARD

Action by Attorney Ordered, Following Reiteration of His Refusal to Resign.

### RESTITUTION TO BE ASKED

Order Requiring Restoration of Money Lost Through Site Deal Will Be Sought.

Ouster proceedings, to remove August H. Kuhs from the Board of Education, will be begun in the Circuit Court by the board's counsel, E. M. Grossman, in compliance with an order voted by the board last night, after Kuhs had repeated his refusal to resign. An order will also be asked for the restitution of Kuhs of money lost or wasted through his abuse of his powers as a member of the board.

Kuhs is under indictment on a charge of being financially interested in the deal by which the northwest high school site, at King's highway and San Francisco avenue, was acquired by the board. This transaction was exposed by the Post-Dispatch last month.

The board, a week earlier, sitting as a committee of the whole, favorably reported a resolution which declared that Kuhs' usefulness as a member of the board was at an end, requested his resignation, and instructed the board's counsel to proceed for his removal, and for restitution. So long as he remains a member of the board, the resolution further provided, he shall not sit on any committee, and shall not be notified of any meeting, and no purchases of real estate shall be discussed in his presence. The same resolution was formally passed last night by the board, after having been reported from the committee of the whole.

Resolution is Adopted. Kuhs was present at last night's meeting, and replied "not voting" when his name was reached in the roll call on the resolution. He was asked by President Mauch to state his intention as to resigning, and repeated his previous statement that he was not guilty.

See New Members Sworn In. Kuhs also remained to see the four newly elected members of the board sworn in, and to hear them repeat the oath which he had sworn before, that they will not become interested in any contract with or claim against the board. The new members are Christopher W. Johnson, F. X. Hienzen, Stephen M. Wagner and Henry A. Rosenthal.

A resolution providing for an investigation of the building department of the board, introduced at the request of R. M. Milligan, Commissioner of School Buildings, was passed. President Mauch said the request had been made because of rumors of mismanagement.

Not How Cheap, but How Fine For the least money. H. A. Hesse, Realtor, 4th and Pine, Pierce Building.

### RECLUSE FOUND BURNED IN HOME

Man Left Farm and \$5000; Had Recently Confessed a Crime.

HOLLOW ROCK, Tenn., April 14.—The charred body of F. W. Myers, 48 years old, was found in his burned home today. Four army revolvers, three shotguns and several hundred dollars in silver, partly melted, were found by his side.

The man had been a recluse for 10 years. Monday he went to Robert Freeman, an attorney of Hollow Rock, saying he was tired of evading the law, that he had committed a crime in Virginia years ago. He left 115 acres of farm land and \$5000 in a Huntington (Tenn.) bank. He said he had a sister in Virginia and in Florida, but he refused to reveal his family connections.

Man Is Burned to Death. SPRINGFIELD, Mo., April 14.—While praying in the chapel of St. John's Hospital, Sister Mary Magdalene, 60 years old, received burns which resulted in her death yesterday, eight hours after the accident. Her clothing caught fire from a wax candle.

## WONDERFUL HOW RESINOL STOPS ITCHING

To those who have endured for years the itching torments of eczema or other such skin eruptions, the relief that the first use of Resinol Ointment and Resinol Soap gives is perfectly incredible. After all the suffering they have endured and all the useless treatments they spent good money for, they cannot believe anything so simple, mild and inexpensive can do it. INSTANTLY! And they find it still more wonderful that the improvement is permanent and that Resinol really drives away the eruption completely in a very short time. Perhaps there is a pleasant surprise like this in store for you. Resinol Ointment and Resinol Soap are sold by all druggists. For trial free, write to Dept. 14-R, Resinol, Baltimore, Md.

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## TRIP FOR LIBERTY BELL URGED BY ADMIRAL DEWEY

With Gen. Miles He Thinks That Taking It to San Francisco Fair Would Arouse Patriotism of People Along the Way.

PHILADELPHIA, April 14.—A determined effort will be made at tomorrow's meeting of City Councils to bring about the passage of an ordinance permitting the removal of the historic Liberty Bell from its shrine in Independence Hall to the Pennsylvania Building at the San Francisco Panama-Pacific Exposition, where it will be exhibited until the close of the fair.

Mayor Blankenburg and leaders in Councils favor the movement and are willing to see the necessary money appropriated for the expenses of the trip. Heretofore the proposal has been opposed mainly by patriotic orders, and by bodies of women who fear that the precious relic may be destroyed in a railroad wreck or some other accident. Now

those favoring the exhibition of the bell in the Far Western city have gained the support of Admiral Dewey and Gen. Miles and there is little doubt that permission will be granted for the removal of the bell, properly guarded by Philadelphia policemen.

Admiral Dewey and Gen. Miles argue that by reason of conditions in Europe this is a good time to arouse the patriotic sentiment of the people of this country, and that nothing would have greater power in this direction than a trip across the continent of the bell which proclaimed liberty throughout the land 129 years ago.

The amount of money needed for the expenses and the date on which the departure of the bell is to be started on its journey remain to be settled. House would only sit for three days' work. He also stated in reply to a suggestion that the members ought to follow the lead of King George and abstain from alcohol. That the suppression of alcoholic liquors at the palace of Westminster was a matter for the House and not the Government to decide.

Economy Alone Dictates that men should read the mercantile announcements in the Post-Dispatch every Friday for up-to-date styles of wearing apparel.

### CONVICTS TO RESTORE MOUND

Great Work of Abolitionists in West Virginia to Be Made a Park.

MOUNDSVILLE, W. Va., April 14.—A force of convicts from the State penitentiary here began today the task of restoring the historic mound, one of the largest works of the mound builders in the Ohio Valley. The mound has been taken over by the State and will be converted into a park.

A movement is on foot to erect on the summit a monument to the memory of Capt. Foreman, who, with 25 others, was massacred by Indians in 1787, a short distance away.

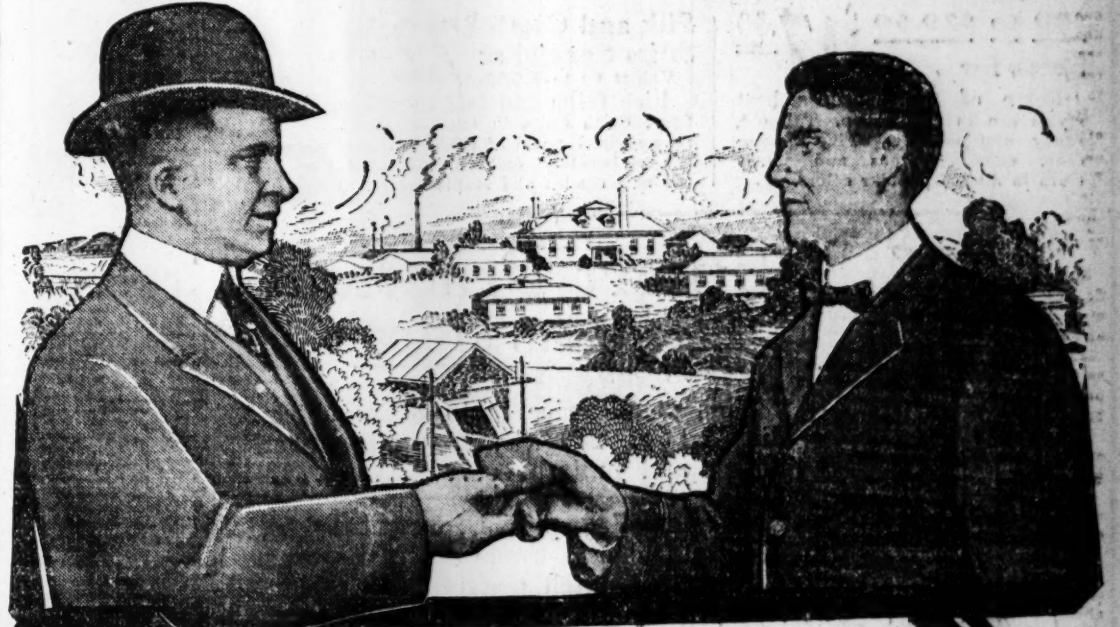
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### BROTHERS ACQUITTED OF ARSON

Joseph and Abraham Sachs, proprietors of a skirt factory at 806 Lucas avenue, which was damaged by fire Jan. 18, were acquitted of a charge of arson on instructions by Circuit Judge Arnold to a jury yesterday.

Firemen testified that they found some skirting and excelsior in the building, had been soaked with gasoline. A policeman testified that he saw the brothers leave the building before the fire was discovered. Judge Arnold said the Supreme Court had ruled that mere circumstantial evidence was not sufficient for conviction in a case of arson.

Spain Raises Coal Duty. WASHINGTON, April 14.—Spain has suspended, until further notice the import duty and transportation tax on coal which in the case of American coal amounted to \$1.06 a ton.



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## DEAD DOG IN BOX ON DOORSTEP

Note With It Demanded \$100 From Franklin Avenue Woman.

Mrs. Ella D. Page, who conducts a rooming house at 351 Franklin avenue, found a wooden box on her front doorstep yesterday afternoon. It contained a dead dog and a note. "Here lies your brother," ran the note. "You'll be there soon. Put \$100 in the flower pot near the steps. The Perseus Mob."

## and the Angry Sister

Mrs. Page said she suspected some neighbors with whom she had trouble.

On Ken Melrose Taffy, 17c lb. Thursday and Friday Special, 61c Locust.

Son of Famous Lepine of Paris Killed.

PARIS, April 14.—Louis Lepine, former prefect of police, has just been informed that his son, an army surgeon, who has been missing since November, was killed at Saint Marie Aux Mines.

## GRAY FADED HAIR, OR BEAUTIFUL DARK AND ATTRACTIVE—CHOOSE MADAM

Says Sage Tea Mixed with Sulphur Restores Natural Color and Lustre—also Removes Dandruff from Scalp.

Gray, faded hair turned beautifully dark and lustrous almost overnight, is a reality, if you'll take the trouble to mix sage tea and sulphur, but what's the use, you get a large bottle of the ready-to-use tonic, called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound" at drug stores here for about 50 cents. Millions of bottles of "Wyeth's" are sold annually, says a well-known druggist, because it darkens the hair so naturally and evenly that no one can tell it has been applied.

You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur and draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. Those whose hair is turning gray,

becoming faded, dry, scraggly and thin have a surprise awaiting them, because after just one application the gray hair vanishes and your locks become luxuriantly dark and beautiful—all dandruff goes, scalp itching and falling hair stops.

This is the age of youth, gray, haired, unattractive folks aren't wanted around, so get busy with the Sage and Sulphur tonight and you'll be amazed at your youthful appearance and the real beauty and healthy condition of your hair within a few days. Inquiry at drug stores here shows that they all sell lots of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur" and the folks using it are enthusiastic. —ADV.

## EUROPE IS DEEPLY STIRRED BY POPE'S EASTER MESSAGE

Pontiff's Views, as Printed in the Post-Dispatch, Arouse Widest Comment.

## GERMANY AWAITS EFFECT

Opinion in England and France Is That Time Has Not Come to Discuss Peace.

ROME, via London, April 14.—All the papers here refuse to believe the Pope uttered the words incorporated in the last part of the Post-Dispatch's interview with him as published here, referring to the war material to the allies, on the ground that such a statement would signify a departure from the rigid neutrality observed by the Vatican since last August.

The Messagero says: "The interview has significant symptoms, two facts predominated: Germany's evident desire for peace." The Messagero also remarks that Karl von Wiegand, the Post-Dispatch's cor-

respondent, while here, was considered a German, owing to his continued exaltation of Germany. "He is now touring Europe on a journalistic and political mission," says the paper, "and this reason gives the interview a special significance. It is also a noteworthy fact that the pontiffical organ did not register the interview. The Pope is too clever a diplomat to provoke America." Says Interviewer Seizes Germany.

The Giornale d'Italia merely expresses its doubts regarding the authenticity of the interview, while the Tribuna comments: "The American journalist Vigan; that is, the German journalist Karl von Wiegand, is well-known for his semi-official relations with high German circles."

After saying that the Pope intended to speak to Americans through an American newspaper, the Tribuna continues: "Unfortunately, this time the Pope's good neutral intentions have been compromised by the circumstances under which the interview was granted. In fact, the journalist in question is a capable German newspaper man, serving Germany in America and elsewhere."

"These knowing Germany's stubborn refusal to induce the United States to propose peace will soon recognize that the papal interview, as reported by Von Wiegand, bears a striking resemblance to the German plan. Briefly, an able newspaper man diverted the Pope's neutral thoughts in the way desired, by the afore-said German pressure. In reading the interview the American Government at a point will be struck by the substantial analogy between the Vatican declarations and the German advances."

Priests' Warning to Soldiers.

Some priests and friars preaching to the soldiers in Fribourg, near the frontier, recently, it is reported by the correspondent of the London Daily Mail at Chisasso, were warning them to prepare themselves to do their duty bravely to the Fatherland, and a Bishop, commenting upon this in the Pope's presence, it is said, remarked that such preaching should not be permitted, as it was against the spirit of neutrality.

The Pope, however, it is said, interrupting him, said quickly, "No, no, that is enough of neutrality. Why, we are all Italians and must speak to our soldiers with an Italian heart."

## PRESIDENT HAS NO PEACE BASIS

Says Only Indirect Assurances of the Pope's Co-operation in Negotiations Have Come.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—Commenting on that part of the Post-Dispatch interview with Pope Benedict XV, that the latter had sent a message to the President indicating willingness to support any move for peace the United States might make, President Wilson said that several persons had brought him such assurance from the Pope, but no formal communication had been received.

The President was asked if he had learned of any basis upon which the warring nations would be willing to negotiate for peace. He answered that he had not had any such information, officially or unofficially. So far as he knows, he added, there has been no ground for recent peace rumors.

The international woman's peace gathering at The Hague, Mr. Wilson said, has no official sanction, but it has his personal sympathy.

Cardinal O'Connell, who came here several days ago from Boston, told the Post-Dispatch correspondent that the Pope's message to the American people was one of the most significant incidents of the European war.

"The interview," said Cardinal O'Connell, "is highly significant because, we all know, the Holy Father is working for peace as no other single force is doing. Peace is the first thing in his mind, the first thing for which he is laboring and praying, day and night, and that the Holy See, in these circumstances, should openly acknowledge the tremendous power of America for good in this world issue is of itself an unprecedented compliment to the American people. It is a compliment which naturally this nation will fully appreciate and realize when the right moment comes."

## GERMANY PLEASED BY POPE'S PLEA

Believes Appeal to Stop Sale of Arms in America Will Have Wide Effect.

BERLIN, April 14.—The Post-Dispatch's interview with the Pope has created a sensation in Germany, particularly because it is generally interpreted as an appeal to Americans to stop making money out of the war by the sale of ammunition, which also would end the war. It is hoped that it will have a great effect in America in arousing sentiment against the export of arms and ammunition.

The Lokal Anzeiger says editorially: "Of all the various talks of Herr von Wiegand with eminent personalities, the interview with the Pope is one of the most important, because of its far-reaching political effect. Cautiously as the Pope generally expresses himself, his fervent plea to all Americans, both government and people, to avoid everything that could prolong the war, can only be taken as an appeal to cease the shipment of arms to the belligerents."

"The love of peace and humanity glows in every word. The Pope cannot be expected to win undivided admiration in the lands of our enemies, but without doubt—and this is very important to us—the words of Benedict XV will have the greatest influence among hundreds of thousands of North American Catholics, especially the German-Americans and the Irish, who urge the strictest neutrality."

We Sell A. B. A. Travelers' Checks. St. Louis Union Bank, 4th and Locust.

Discussion of Peace at This Juncture to No Purpose, London Paper Says.

LONDON, April 14.—The Daily Telegraph in an editorial says: "The Pope's words were considered a message to the United States. 'My Easter message to America' was the expression used. Phrases were carefully prepared, and revised in manuscript by His Holiness. Altogether nothing was lacking that could give the interview importance. What then was the substance of what

was said to a fortunate journalist who had won his way to the most unapproachable presence in Europe?"

After reproducing the most striking passages of the Pope's message the editorial continues: "Expressions like these reported from the Vatican are important rather on account of the circumstances chosen for their utterance than for anything in their wording. All Europe undoubtedly wants peace above all else on earth and shudders at the notion of the struggle being protracted by a single day beyond what is unavoidable."

Experts V. S. Good Offices in Time.

"It will also be generally agreed that the good offices of the United States as mediator will be welcome when the time comes, and that it would be deplorable if any opportunity of usefulness in that connection should be unperceived or ignored at Washington. But it is impossible, when we consider the unique character of this papal utterance and the pains bestowed upon its wording, to avoid conclusion that the Pope had something more in mind

than the repetition of pious opinions and vague aspirations."

"This Easter message must be taken, we think, as a deliberate intimation that the hour is come, or immediately coming, for President Wilson to take the initiative and propose the discussion of peace terms to the Governments now engaged in war."

"Purely Religious Authority."

"That appears to be the view held at the Vatican and it quite well illustrates the difference which is apt to declare itself between statesmanship of national administrations and that of a non-nations and purely religious authority."

The editorial concludes: "Anything in the nature of an indecisive peace would most certainly be, as matters stand today, a triumph for the power we are fighting. That is the viewpoint of the allies. It will not be changed, and since that is so, it is to no purpose efforts to promote a discussion of peace terms at this juncture are on foot."

## She Followed Friend's Advice

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Check and college plaids, in sport and belted styles. Serges in navy and black. Some are plain, others have fancy collars, cuffs and patch pockets. 12 styles, sizes for women, 34 to 44, and juniors and misses, 13 to 20.

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Faille and Taffeta silk in tan, blue and black, white chinchilla and goldfine. A wonderful assortment of styles to choose from.

All the desirable cloths and colors are in this group in over 20 of the season's best styles. Plaids, checks, coverts, serges, mixtures. All sizes.

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COUNTRY CLUB PORK AND BEANS Big, rich, meaty beans in fine tomato sauce. No. 2 cans. 3 for 25c

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Oatmeal Quality. 3 lbs. 10c

Cream Meal ground. 4 lbs. 10c

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2 lbs. 55c

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Refuge Beans Cuban Brand; excellent quality. 9c

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Spinach Webster's Best Brand; nice, young and tender. 9c

Pure Cider Vinegar You can't buy better. 25c

Prunes Fancy Santa Clara. 10c

Extra large. 1 lb. 15c

APRICOTS Choice. 2 lbs. 25c

Griffin Raisins Large. 10c

COUNTRY Jelly Powder Reg. 10c

PEARL BARLEY Finest. 3 lbs. 14c

Hen Feed 10 lbs. 22c

BRICK CHEESE Golden Key Brand. 18c

GERMAN HAND CHEESE, 5 for 5c

Mixed Vegetables 5c

MILK 3 Cans 20c

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Tomatoes 2 cans 15c

CORN 4 cans 25c

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Veal Cutlets, lb., 25c

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Pape's Diapepsin will regulate any out-of-order Stomach within five minutes, and digest promptly, without any fuss or discomfort, all of any kind of food you eat.—ADV.

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## GOVERNMENT TO ANSWER FRIDAY IN RIGGS BANK CASE

Believed Possible Its Plea Will Be That Courts Lack Jurisdiction in Matter.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—Louis D. Brandeis, special counsel for the government in the defense of Secretary McAdoo and John Skelton Williams, Comptroller of the Currency, was given an office in the Department of Justice today and began examination of the complaint of the Riggs National Bank, charging these officials with persecution of that institution and a conspiracy to wreck it.

Comptroller Williams said every effort would be made to have the government's answer to the complaint ready for presentation to the District of Columbia Supreme Court on Friday. Brandeis is expected to write the answer and Jesse C. Adkins and United States District Attorney Laskey to aid in the argument in court.

There was much interest today among the lawyers in the question of whether the government's first plea to the bank's complaint would be that the

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## PLAYGOERS' GUIDE.

The Divergence, American Drama of modern life. Little Miss Brown, Park. Pines, by The Players. Mary's Lamb, Shenandoah. Musical comedy, by Park Opera Company. Vaudeville, Columbia. William Montgomery and Florence Moore head bill. Vaudeville, Grand Zira and Leopards head bill. Vaudeville, Hippodrome. J. K. Emmett heads bill. Burlesque, Standard. City Belle. Burlesque, Imperial. Behman Show. Photo-play, New Grand Central. Edwin Arden and Romaine Fielding in "The Eagle's Nest." Photo-play, Strand. Elsie Janis in "The Captives of Kitty." Photo-play, West End. Lyric. Victor Moore in "Snobs." Photo-play, Junonia. Leah Baird in "Return of Maurice Donnelly."

## COURAGE IS COMMON IN THIS WAR.

Every Englishman knows how to die bravely. The Irish, Scotch and English soldiers face the bayonets, the machine guns as though out on dress parade. It is the men who sicken and die in the trenches, or at home after an arduous campaign that our sympathy goes out to most. There are thousands of such men behind the battle lines who went to the front without the strong constitution and good, pure blood to withstand the deprivations, the hardships of the campaign in Belgium and France. It is a warning that we should pay strict attention to our stomach, liver and blood. If one is all out of sorts he should take an invigorating tonic and alterative such as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery which cures diseases of the stomach and organs of digestion and nutrition. It eliminates from the blood disease-breeding poisons. It makes the blood rich and pure, and furnishes a foundation for sound, physical health. Fifty years ago, Dr. Pierce, of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, at Buffalo, N. Y., found that certain barks and roots manufactured by using glycerine without the use of alcohol or opiates, made into a concentrated extract, which he called Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, made a stimulating tonic for the stomach, helped the digestion and assimilation of the food and eradicated poisons from the blood. This is nature's cure for indigestion, and by correcting the stomach, and thereby feeding the blood on pure materials, the red blood corpuscles are increased and the body established in a healthy state. No one suffers from catarrh who has plenty of red blood corpuscles and a good digestion. Catarrh in all its forms is a stagnation of the blood. Introduce pure red blood into the system by taking the "Medical Discovery" and health is assured.—Adv.

## Secretary's Action Praised.

Washington financiers, outside the few who happen to be in the good graces of the officials of the Riggs National Bank, praised the action of the Secretary of the Treasury and of the Comptroller of the Currency in throwing down the gauntlet to the management of this institution, whose power and influence in the city of Washington have been a source of comment for many years past. Shortly after Secretary McAdoo assumed his duties as head of the Treasury Department, came the break between the Secretary's office and the officials of the Riggs Bank. And the contest has been waging with the greatest fury ever since.

The bank has given out a long statement reviewing charges made by Comptroller Williams. The bank's statement calls attention to the announcement made by Comptroller Williams that investigation of the bank had disclosed irregularities and that the Department of Justice had engaged the services of Louis D. Brandeis some weeks ago as special counsel in the case. The statement recited that at noon yesterday Attorney-General Gregory stated that Brandeis had not been engaged by the Department of Justice and the statement that he had been retained was incorrect at the time it was made.

The bank, in its statement, declares that Comptroller Williams takes credit to himself for the fact that it is solvent when, in fact, he caused the withdrawal of hundreds of thousands of dollars during the summer and fall of 1914 "at a time when financial conditions were exceedingly uncertain in this country because of the great war in Europe."

The statement answers Comptroller Williams' charge, made in letters to the bank, that it loaned large sums to women for speculative purposes, by saying that Washington has probably more women than any city of its size in the world who have fortunes, and adds that its losses through loans to such clients have been negligible.

The bank declares that Comptroller Williams has no foundation for the allegation, also made in letters, that it has tempted young men and women to ruin through speculation.

Officers Quit Stock Exchange. "The fact is," the statement says, "that the officers of this bank have never advised or encouraged any person, woman or man, young or old, to speculate in stocks or buy stocks for investment, and the Comptroller's insinuation to the contrary is a gross perversion of the truth, of which no officers of the government ought to be guilty with respect to any matter, and especially the Comptroller of the Currency be guilty of it for the purpose of injuring a bank in the public estimation."

The statement points out that officers of the bank who held seats on the Washington Stock Exchange voluntarily gave them up in 1914 because they believed the Federal reserve act might forbid an officer of a bank acting as a broker on a stock exchange. It says also that many bank officers and directors have rightfully had seats on this exchange. The Riggs officers, it says, gave their earnings from this source to the bank, although, it avers, they had a perfect right to keep them.

New York Bankers Divided in Opinion Over Riggs Bank Controversy. NEW YORK, April 14.—The injunction proceedings brought by the Riggs National Bank against Secretary McAdoo and Comptroller Williams and the retort of the Comptroller were topics of discussion in the banks of this city. In the Wall street banks sentiment undoubtedly was in favor of the bank. President Glover and Vice President Allen were endorsed for fighting for what these banks considered their rights. On the other hand, there were bankers who pointed out that it was incumbent upon the Comptroller of the Currency to make his examinations as most drastic, now that the Federal reserve act was in operation, and in this condition it was argued that the complaint filed by the Riggs bank did not indicate that the Comptroller had done more than his duty in pressing examinations of the institution.

Examinations of all banks, it was pointed out, have been more thorough under Comptroller Williams than previously. Many New York bankers were displeased over the details of the examinations and over some of the reports regarding loans to officers, directors and stockholders that the Comptroller has exacted.

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\$1.15 Hot Plates, 79c  
Two-burner Hot Plates, made of heavy cast iron, with solid brass keys.  
\$3.50 Laundry Stoves, \$2.75  
Heavy cast-iron Laundry Stoves, No. 8 size with plenty of room for boiler without crowding against stove pipe.  
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Single Burner Gas Ovens, 12 inches square, with glass door. Will save its cost in gas.

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California Privet  
5000 3-year-old plants, well branched and rooted, 3 to 4 feet high—10c plants, 45c  
In lots of 100, at \$4.25  
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In lots of 25, at \$1.10  
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Large size Tube Rose Bulbs, limited quantity, to sell at 5c dozen. (No more than 2 dozen to a buyer.) (Fifth Floor.)

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See tomorrow's Evening's papers for news of an extraordinary Sale of Women's Sample Suits.

## Women's New Wash Dresses

The House Dress Section on the Second Floor has just received a fresh new lot of Women's Wash Dresses for Spring and Summer.

One lot includes new Spring Wash Dresses, made of the popular Palm Beach cloth, in such colors as green and blue, with dainty white tucked vest trimming. Choice, \$4.95  
Another group contains new Wash Dresses, of knotted striped dimities—made peplum style, with the new gathered skirts and net vest trimmed with Valenciennes lace. Special at \$4.95  
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tomorrow presents a sale of Tennis Rackets

A lot of 500 high grade Tennis Rackets at a

Saving of 33 1/3%

These rackets are marked "Seconds" by the maker, but the imperfections are so very slight as to be imperceptible. All grouped in three lots for this sale as follows:

Lot 1, \$5.00 each

Lot 2, \$4.00 each

Lot 3, \$1.95 each

Practice Tennis Balls, 2 for 25c

75c Racket Covers, at 50c (Second Floor Annex.)

## Men's New Spring Shirts

More than 1800 laundered cuff shirts, and 2400 soft turned back cuff shirts to choose from at a saving of one-third to one-half.

These lots represent several purchases recently made, and include shirts of such materials as woven madras, Jacquard figured silks and mercerized cloth.

Come in a variety of assorted colors and striped effects, as well as in plain white pleated bosom shirts, in various sizes of knife pleats.

All sizes from 14 to 17 inch neckband. Choice, \$1.15 (Men's Store, Main Floor.)



## Thursday Is to Be Furniture Day

Extra Heavy Three-Inch Post Beds, Special, \$15.95

A price which hardly covers the cost of production. Outer posts are three inches in diameter and fitted with extra large cathedral brass vase mounts. Center fillers are of extra heavy stock. Only a limited number on hand.

\$8.50 Felt Mattress, Special at \$5.95

Durably built Cotton Felt Mattresses, in which nothing but good clean filling is used, and the covering is of neat art ticking.

Conveniently arranged and provided with every feature that will lessen the usual kitchen work. White interior finish.

Ask About the Furniture Store's Convenient Club Plan of Buying Furniture (Sixth Floor.)

## In the China Store—

Two-Quart Water Pitchers at 25c

White porcelain body with profile of Indian chief, nicely embossed in cobalt blue.

Cake Sets, \$1.50

Consisting of open-handled Cake Plate and six Serving Plates—made in Japan. Neat wild violet flower design and heavy gold band on each piece.

Tea Strainers, Special, 17c

Japanese Tea Strainer and Drip Cup, nicely decorated. Priced regularly 25c.

50c Sugar and Cream Sets 35c

Fine Austrian china, new shape, good, large size, and with neat conventional border design. (Fifth Floor.)

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High-grade Wardrobe Trunks, strongly built, covered and lined with fiber and trimmed with solid steel. Carry 12 to 15 suits. Regular \$25 trunks, special at \$19.75

\$12.50 Traveling Bags, \$10.00

Traveling Bags, made of splendid quality genuine walrus. Also \$6.50 Bags, at \$4.50 (Second Floor.)

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For Women

"Onyx" Silk Lisle Stockings—medium light weight, Pointex heels, "Dub-1" tops, extra heavy spliced heels and toes; black only. Special, in this sale, Three Pairs, \$1

"Onyx" Pure Thread Silk-Boot Stockings—With lisle "Dub-1" tops, reinforced heels, soles and toes; black, white and tan. Three Pairs, \$1

"Onyx" Pure Thread Silk Stockings—Medium weight. Pair, 60c

"Onyx" Women's Pure Thread Silk Stockings—Fine medium weight. "Dub-1" garter tops of silk or lisle. Black or white. Pair, \$1

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## Society

**M**ISS VERA HEMKER, daughter of Dr. R. C. Hemker of 5085 Clemens avenue, and Elmer L. Lenz, will be married this evening at the home of the bride at 8 o'clock. The Rev. John L. Roemer of the Taylor Avenue Presbyterian Church will perform the ceremony.

The bride will be gowned in white silk net, embroidered in roses. Her veil will be of tulle and she will carry a bouquet of white flowers, fringed with lilies of the valley and clusters of lilies knotted into the tulle streamers to form a shower.

The bridegroom's sister, Miss Helen Lenz, will be maid of honor and will wear a gown of pink and white flowered organdy, with a girdle of French blue ribbon. She will carry a bouquet of pink sweet peas.

The bride's brother, Dr. Russell H. C. Hemker Jr., will be the best man. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip H. Lenz of 3636 Russell avenue.

Upon their return from their wedding trip Mr. Lenz and his bride will be at home at 4012 Russell avenue.

The marriage of Miss Margaret Wilson Byrne and Thomas Aloysius O'Reilly was solemnized this morning at nuptial mass in St. Rose's Church, the Rev. J. J. McGlynn officiating.

The ceremony was followed by a bridal breakfast at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thomas Byrne of 555 Maple avenue, at which only the nearest relatives and friends were present.

The bride entered the church with her father, who gave her in marriage. She was preceded by Miss Lucille Schraubstadter, who was the only bridesmaid, and Miss Mary O'Keefe of New York, the bride's niece, as flower girl. The bride wore a gown of ivory-tinted crepe with a deep flounce of carmine lace.

There was a yoke and sleeves of the same lace and they in turn were trimmed with point applique lace. The court train fell from the high waist line in three box pleats in the back and was edged with orange blossoms.

The bride wore a cloud veil of tulle secured with a wreath of orange blossoms and her bouquet was of butterfly sweet peas and lilies of the valley.

Miss Schraubstadter wore a frock of sulphur pink chiffon ruffled with tulle and a silk of the same shade. Her hat was of ecrú neapolitan braid trimmed with purple velvet ribbon. She carried an old-fashioned round bouquet of pink roses the color of her dress, edged with purple panicles.

The little flower girl wore a frock of white net with a pink sash, a poke bonnet of white chiffon and carried a nosegay of pink roses.

The bridegroom is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Robert J. O'Reilly of 21 Washington terrace. He was attended by three of his brothers, Edward as best man and Robert and Paul as ushers. The other ushers were the bride's brother, John Wilson Byrne, and Edward Martin, a cousin of the bridegroom.

The decorations at the church were in growing plants—palms, ferns, Easter lilies and smilax. At the house quantities of white and pink blossoms and ferns were used in the decoration.

After their honeymoon trip, Mr. O'Reilly and his bride will be at home at 6047 Berlin avenue.

The St. Louis colony at Excelsior Springs, Mo., stopping at the Elms Hotel, includes: The Rev. and Mrs. A. W. Bonnen, R. R. Bung, Miss Ruth Snyder, S. P. McChesney, Mrs. Charles C. Spink and Miss Frances Spink.

Miss Nellie Benzel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Benzel of 3230 Neoraska avenue, and Karl Fitzaden will be married this evening at the home of the bride. The ceremony will be at 8 o'clock and the Rev. L. Buchholmer will read the marriage service. A wedding supper for the immediate family will follow.

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Two men entered the saloon run by George Krallman, at 2126 Madison street, at 9:30 o'clock last night and called for beer. When being served they drew revolvers on the proprietor and three customers.

Krallman dodged beneath the bar and one of the robbers threw a beer glass at him. The glass struck the bar and broke, splinters of glass striking Krallman in the face. Krallman then threw up his hands and the robbers took \$11 from him. They then led him into the icebox and ran after taking \$19 from the cash drawer. Mrs. Krallman, who was upstairs, heard the commotion and went below with a revolver. She saw the robbers running east on Madison street and fired several shots into the air to attract the police.

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**Crew Strikes on Sealing Ship.** ST. JOHNS, N. F., April 14.—The sealing steamer Terra Nova, put into Port Aux Basques today because 200 of her crew refused to continue the voyage on the face of failure of the seal catch. The men remained aboard the ship, however, refusing to leave until provided with means of conveyance to their homes.

**Spring Styles** In men's wearing apparel are on sale now. Read the Post-Dispatch every Friday, for announcements of St. Louis leading merchants. It is economy.

**Patrolman Maher Has Heart Attack.** Patrolman Joseph Maher of Central District, suffered a heart attack when at a lodge meeting at 2301 South Broadway last night. He was taken to the city hospital. Maher lives with his family at 4546 Virginia avenue.

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There are about 65 Women's Suits in the lot offered at this very special Anniversary Sale price and each is a copy of a very smart, much more expensive model.

They are made in the semi-tailored as well as more dressy models and have short, fancy hip-length and finger-tip length coats while the skirts are made on full lines with or without yoke, a few showing plaits.

There are, for choice, such materials as silk, serge, gabardine and worsteds, in black, navy and Copenhagen blue, black and white checks, etc.; regular values up to \$35.00. Anniversary Sale Price

**\$24.65**

Third Floor.

### Up to \$20.00 Values in Women's Raincoats, \$9.65

Savings of nearly a half, and in many instances more than a half, are here for the fortunate women who obtain these remarkably priced Raincoats.

All are cut in the full length and there is choice of both loose and belted styles. They have either convertible or the button-to-the-neck collars of self-material or velvet, and some have capes. They are made of cravenette materials and are guaranteed rain-proof; values range up to \$20.00. Anniversary Sale Price

**\$9.65**

Third Floor.

### R. & G. CORSETS \$3.00 Values \$1.50

This is a splendid lot of R. & G. Corsets in sizes 21 to 25, and they are offered at a saving of exactly a half. They are made of fine quality batiste, have long skirt extension, elastic gussets in bust and over abdomen, and three pairs of hose supporters.

Third Floor, Ninth Street.

### BOYS' WASH SUITS \$2.50 and \$3.00 Values \$1.65

This is a splendid lot of Boys' Wash Suits, made in the Middy, "Oliver Twist," Russian and Vestee styles. All are made of the most serviceable materials with high or low neck, long or short sleeves and with plain, sailor or Dutch collar, and in plain or combinations of colors. This is a most unusual offering.

Second Floor.

### PARLOR-MAID APRONS Regular 35c Value 25c

Two styles of Parlor-Maid Aprons are in this lot, both made of a splendid quality lawn. One has straps over the shoulders and the other has bib and beltless.

Third Floor.

### PRINCESS SLIPS \$3.50

Some very special values in Princess Slips are here, made of a good quality of longcloth and with the cover trimmed with hand-made scallops and eyelets and a hand-scarfed flounce with ruffle underlay on the skirt.

Third Floor.

### WOMEN'S PETTICOATS \$1 Quality 85c

These are made of striped seersucker and have umbrella ruffle with pin-tucks and may be had in blue, tan or gray stripes.

Third Floor.

### STATIONERY Regular 50c Quality 25c

Two sizes of Box Paper, in both the letter and note sizes, will be offered tomorrow at this saving of just a half. Choice can be made from a variety of delicate shades.

First Floor.

### LISLE-LOOM ELASTIC 6c to 15c Values 5c

This is the best quality Loom Elastic and may be had in both black and white and in the three-eighths to one-eighths.

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At Special Prices on These Days Only



FOR WOMEN

**6607—Women's "ONYX"** pure thread silk boot with lisle "Dub-1" top; reinforced heel, sole and toe; black, white and tan. "ONYX" DAY PRICE, 3 pairs for \$1.50. **580 S.P.—Women's "ONYX"** medium, light weight silk lisle with point-ex heel, "Dub-1" top, extra heavy spliced heel and toe; black only. "ONYX" DAY PRICE, 3 pairs for \$1.00.

**H408—Women's "ONYX"** medium weight silk lisle, "Dub-1" top, high spliced heel and double sole; black only. "ONYX" DAY PRICE, 3 pairs for \$1.00. **141—Women's "ONYX"** pure thread silk; medium weight; lisle garter top and sole; extra double heel and toe; black and white. "ONYX" DAY PRICE, 60 cents per pair.

Women's "ONYX" pure thread silk; a fine medium weight; "Dub-1" garter top of silk or lisle; high spliced heel and double sole of silk or lisle, black and white. "ONYX" DAY PRICE \$1.00 per pair.

FOR MEN

**E325—Men's "ONYX"** silk lisle in black only; made with "Doublex" heel and toe and spliced sole. Has no equal. "ONYX" DAY PRICE, 3 pairs for \$1.00.

**715—Men's "ONYX"** pure silk, spliced heel, sole and toe; in black, tan, navy, gray, purple, helio, burgundy and cadet. "ONYX" DAY PRICE, 3 pairs for \$1.00.

**1326—Men's "ONYX"** finest pure silk, medium weight reinforced heel, sole and toe; black and colors. "ONYX" DAY PRICE, \$1.00 per pair.

For Boys

**B1274—Boys' "ONYX"** medium weight "Dub-1" wear" ribbed cotton in black only; sizes 6 to 10; best boys' hose of its kind in America. 25c per pair.

For Misses

**X46—Misses' "ONYX"** medium weight "Dub-1" wear" lisle; fine ribbed; black and tan; sizes 5 to 10; best misses' hose in America. 25c per pair.

First Floor.

### At \$10 to \$32.50—Smart Showing of Black Hats

In our Millinery Section may be seen—tomorrow morning—a new showing of All-black Hats in which will be found the new, large, transparent hair-braid and maline hats with very effective but simple trimmings of Paradise, Gaura and jet. This showing will be found so varied in style that the prices range from

**\$10.00 to \$32.50**

New English Hats for Golf, Tennis, Etc.

We will also make a special showing tomorrow of some very smart English Hats especially suitable for golf, tennis and trotting wear. These are in Panama, Milan, Tagal and Peanut straws and are priced at

**\$5.00 to \$10.00**

Third Floor.

### One-Day Sale Sorosis Shoes —\$6 and \$7 Values, \$4.85

This price is for the one day only—tomorrow. In this sale are six of the very latest styles which we are showing in our superior Sorosis Line.

They have the new fancy tan or gray inserts at instep or sand-colored or gray suede-cloth quarters, and there is choice of wood or leather Louis heels. Some are of patent leather, and some are of dull calf. One of the styles shows the new London tongue with gray or fawn-colored suede quarters.

In each of these styles there is a full choice of all sizes and all widths. Regular \$6.00 and \$7.00 values for the one day only

Second Floor.

**\$4.85**

### BRUSSELS NET FLOUNCES \$1.50 Yard

This price is very special for the exquisite Brussels Net Flounce, which we offer at this very special Anniversary Sale price. They are made with wide, set-in Venice bands, in beautiful open patterns and are 36 inches wide; choice of white, cream or ecrú. Just the thing for trimming lingerie frocks.

First Floor.

### Allover Shadow Laces \$1.00 and \$1.25

At these two prices we offer just the Allover Shadow Laces needed for making the soft lace blouses. They are full 36 inches wide and come in both large and small patterns and in white, cream or ecrú; very sheer and dainty.

First Floor.

### LACE CURTAINS \$2.50 and \$3.50 Values \$1.65

Scrim and Swiss woven or plain-center Curtains with borders and edges in the Cluny, Swiss and Fillet effects and with the overlocked edges. Splendid qualities that will launder well.

### NEW CRETONNES 25c Yard

This is a splendid quality and the patterns are bright and cheerful and they come in a wide range of colorings and designs.

Fourth Floor.

### COTTON SHEETS Regular 80c Values 70c

At this special price we offer our regular 80c quality Cotton Sheets, size 81x99 inches, of the well-known "Angelus" brand. This is a splendid quality much favored by many.

### PILLOWCASES 16c Value 18c Value 14c 15c

The 16c quality offered at 14c is in the 42x36-inch size and the 18c quality offered at 15c is in the regular 45x36-inch size. These Pillowcases are hemmed and this is a standard brand—the "Angelus"—well known and favored by many.

Second Floor.

### Pavlowa Farewell Tour

One Performance at the Odeon, Tuesday Evening, April 27th. Tickets on Sale Now at Our Cashier's Desk—First Floor.

**EVEN if you had your own cow you couldn't be so sure of getting absolutely pure and wholesome milk as you are when you buy Union Dairy Certified Milk.**

While you are thinking about our Certified Milk, do not overlook our pure general "family" milk and cream—in bottles. Laboratory tests prove their purity and freedom from bacteria—and the richness of the milk is attested by the deep cream line in the bottle. Compare it with others—and see.

A Telephone Call will start Union Dairy Company service at your home. Wagons everywhere—in charge of intelligent and courteous drivers.

**UNION DAIRY COMPANY**  
JEFFERSON AND WASHINGTON AVES.  
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**Penny Gentles**  
BROADWAY AND MORGAN STREET  
ST. LOUIS BARGAIN CENTER

### 891 New Untrimmed Hats

On Sale

THURSDAY

You will never see these values duplicated. Only the very best styles. In the newest and wanted straws.

Wonderful Values

**37c**

Hats Trimmed FREE.

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### Quality First



"Yes, we'll have Campbell's Tomato Soup."

How easy to say! And just as easy to do. Even at the last minute—if it happens so—you can decide on this tempting soup with perfect confidence that it will fit your dinner and suit your guests exactly. You have no anxiety about your soup course being just right. And you know it can be served promptly on the minute without labor or fuss.

But be sure to have it on hand. Order a dozen at a time. That's the handy way. And you can't make any mistake in doing this. Your money back if not satisfied.

21 kinds 10c a can



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Circulation  
Last Sunday, **363,504**  
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# Sonnenfeld's

L. ACKERMAN Manager.

610-612 Washington Av.

## Special Sale of New Suits

**\$14**

Values to \$25

Today's express brought us several hundred new Spring Suits purchased by our buyer now in New York. They go on sale Thursday in two groups at \$14 and \$18, even though intended to bring from \$25 to \$35.

**\$18**

Values to \$35



THESE Suits are the most remarkable values of the current season at our special sale prices. We are very conservative when we say that the one assortment was intended to bring \$25—the other up to \$35. Such are the facts, however, as these garments were secured at remarkable concessions.

All sorts of new styles—unique trimmings—harmonious blending of colors. Silk faille Suits and stunning models of silk poplin, gabardine, serge, Shepherd checks, mixtures and novelty ideas of all kinds. Practically all sizes for both women and misses and with few exceptions but one suit of a kind.

Every garment is guaranteed new and fresh—the fact that these Suits were not samples makes them especially desirable—augments the surprising character of the values

**\$14** and **\$18**

## Continuing Thursday That Astounding Sale of Smart Trimmed Hats at \$3.50

THOSE unable to attend today need have no hesitancy in coming tomorrow as there are still hundreds of superb styles to select from. Tailored and Dress Hats—large and medium Sailors, Box Turbans, Pricornes and innumerable other equally favored modes, trimmed with ostrich (like picture), flowers, wings, ribbons and ornaments in endless variety. Actually there are no two models exactly alike—and you shall judge for yourself whether or not we're conservative in saying the values are from \$5 to \$7.50.



\$3.50

## WATCH TOMORROW'S PAPER!

# FORD CLOAK CO.

511-513-515 WASHINGTON AVE.

## Will Announce the Inauguration of Its FIRST CLEARANCE SALE

### A Very Important Selling Event

An absolute clearance of every garment in our entire stock—regardless of former selling prices—it is our first sale, and we promise you a REAL one—watch and wait.

SUITS, COATS, DRESSES, SKIRTS, WAISTS, PETTICOATS, CHILDREN'S WEAR AND MILLINERY.

At the lowest prices ever named for merchandise of equivalent quality, style and material—and positively the greatest array of new merchandise ever presented by any store at this season of the year.

Nothing is excepted or reserved—everything goes, including new suits just unpacked, and new wash skirts and dresses that have not even seen a hanger—prepare for a real bargain holiday—it is well worth your attention.

REMEMBER THIS STORE IS LOCATED ON WASHINGTON AVENUE ON THE NORTH SIDE OF THE STREET BETWEEN BROADWAY AND SIXTH—IT IS THE LARGEST, LIGHTEST, AND ONLY STORE ALL ON THE GROUND FLOOR.

## MAYOR CALLS FIRST MEETING OF ALDERMEN

Acts in Place of Frederick in Directing Organization of Board Next Tuesday.

### MEMBERS TO TAKE OATH

Session Will Be Held in House of Delegates Chambers at 4 O'clock.

Mayor Kiel today prepared a call for the first meeting of the new Board of Aldermen, to be held at 4 o'clock next Tuesday afternoon in the former quarters of the House of Delegates.

This call, in the regular course of affairs, would have been issued by the President-elect of the board. Owing to the indisposition of President-elect Frederick, and his announced retirement from his official position, the Mayor was advised by the City Counselor's office that he was the proper person to issue the call.

The 28 members of the board will be sworn in at the first meeting, and those who have already qualified and taken the oath will probably repeat the ceremony at that time.

The House of Delegates chamber contains desks for 27 members, besides the Speaker's table. Three more desks will be added, two of them for the Mayor and Comptroller, who will have the privileges of the floor, but will not vote on legislation. The third will be needed whenever the board has a full membership of 28 members besides the President. This will not be for two years, unless the recall should in the meantime vacate two more seats in the board. Then a special election could be held for a President and the two Aldermen.

Frederick's attorney, Henry Kortjohn, has advised him to qualify as a member, and then resign. The formality of qualifying will take place at some time before the board's first meeting, and it is not anticipated that Frederick will appear at the meeting.

The 28 ward members-elect of the board attended a luncheon at the City Club yesterday afternoon, discussing their pending work, without any direct allusion to Frederick.

### Have a Laugh With the Post-Dispatch

The Commercial Club of the McKinley High Evening School has issued its first annual number of "The Owl," the class publication for the term of 1915. The department in it which will appeal most to the general public is "Laughs," which contributes a line of wit and humor worthy of reproduction under the "Spice of Life" caption in the "How Cool Was It" box at the top of the first front page of the Post-Dispatch. Read these funnyisms from day to day and let them chase your gloom away.

### MANY FALSE DIPLOMAS SOLD

Admission to Kansas Dental Schools Gained by Fraud.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 14.—Charges that students have gained admission into Kansas City dental schools by means of fraudulent certificates and diplomas were substantiated yesterday by the Missouri State Board of Dental Examiners, who have been in session here for several days.

Two students made affidavits before the examiners they had paid a Wyandotte County (Kan.) school official for their diplomas. The official was called before the board and his deposition taken. He admitted issuing the certificates knowing the students had not completed the required amount of high school work. He denied being paid.

### Economy Alone

Dictates that men should read the merchants' announcements in the Post-Dispatch every Friday for up-to-date styles of wearing apparel.

### CHILDREN TO FORM A LEAGUE

Purpose of Organization Will Be to Aid Young People of Europe.

NEW YORK, April 14.—The first step for organization of children throughout the United States to aid the children of Europe will be taken here tomorrow when members in a league will be enrolled. Efforts will be made to have all parts of the country represented in the membership. The league is to be a subsidiary of the Lafayette fund.

Baroness Yveling de Beville, 11 years old, is to be head of the girls' division and William Asjor Chanler Jr. of the boys' section.

"ACTOIDS" ACT ACTIVELY.

"ACTOIDS" Do Not Grip Nor Sicken.

### ROBBER GETS FOUR DIAMONDS

Poses as Customer, Draws Pistol and Backs Away With Ring.

A young man entered Jacob Shapiro's jewelry store, 714 Franklin avenue, at 7 o'clock last night, and asked Shapiro to show to him something suitable for an engagement ring. The jeweler placed four diamond rings on the counter and the man, after picking them up, backed toward the front door. As Shapiro started to follow the robber drew a revolver and threatened to shoot. The rings were valued at \$185.

For Moving Picture Patrons.

See the moving picture features advertised on today's first Want page.

### 2000 Sheet Metal Workers Locked Out

CHICAGO, April 14.—A lockout of 2000 union sheet metal workers went into effect today as a result of an order issued yesterday by the Building Construction Employers' Association. The union officials refused to sign the uniform agreement protesting against the clause which permits the use in Chicago of materials from other cities.

Rosa-Gould List and Letter Co.

20% Guaranteed Mailing Lists. Addressing Fac-simile Letters. 9th and Locust.

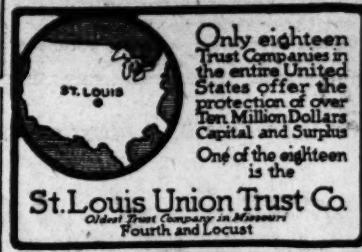
### VOCATIONAL EDUCATION URGED

Large Employers of Labor Ask for Passage of Bill in Illinois.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 14.—Some of the largest employers of labor in Illinois arrived here today to urge the educational committee of the House to recommend the bill for vocational education in the State.

The bill follows generally the plan of industrial education which has been in force in Wisconsin for more than three years. Proposed vocational schools would not interfere with the present

school system, but would supplement it by furnishing practical instruction for youths between 14 and 18 years of age.



Only eighteen Trust Companies in the entire United States offer the protection of over Ten Million Dollars Capital and Surplus. One of the eighteen is the St. Louis Union Trust Co. (Fourth and Locust)

### 35c and 50c White Goods, 19c

Sample pieces, of 40-inch Rice Cloth, Lace Voile, Shadow Voile, Dotted Batiste, Dotted Swiss, Luna Lawn and Organdies. All clean new goods.

### Wash Dresses for School Girls, 79c

Two hundred new dresses, in well made, practical styles, of gingham, percale and rep, some in combination colors, stripes or checks that are prettily trimmed with pique, or in embroidered designs; all shades of pink, blue, white or tan. Sizes 6 to 14 years.

(Second Floor.)

### Women's Silk Gloves

A great collection of women's fine Silk Gloves in the wanted styles. Exceptional values.

Women's Elbow Length Milanese Silk Gloves, some with embroidered arms, others plain with Paris points, embroidered backs. Black and white

Women's 2-clasp Silk Gloves, every pair guaranteed, black and white

Washable Chamoisette Gloves (Kayser quality), all white or white with black embroidered backs

(Main Floor.)

### Ostermoor Mattresses

St. Louis Agents for These Mattresses

The only place in this great city where these high-class Mattresses can be purchased. All specials advertised by the Ostermoor Co. of New York can be had at our store just as though you were in New York.

Just now they are advertising their well-known Hotel Style at a cut price, one of the most durable and serviceable mattresses they make. It has many improved features. \$23.00 value; special

(Fourth Floor.)



### New and Beautiful Waists Will Be Placed at Your Disposal Thursday

Smart little Waists of the softest "Radium" Silk with Faille collar and cuffs—dainty self color embroidered Georgette crepe and beautiful shadow laces, in black or white with novelty collars, including the high, low, or three-in-one collars. Specially priced at

\$3.95

New tailored Waists of striped crepe voile. The color combinations are black and white, green and white, lavender and white, and pink and white. This stylish little Waist is finished with linen collar and cuffs, high or low collar. Special \$1.25

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### "Onyx" SPECIAL SALE

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Included in this sale are the stockings with "Pointex" Heel. These replace the old unsightly square splicing, give a slim, graceful and elegant appearance to the ankle, and retain all the advantages of the reinforcement.

582 SP.—Women's "ONYX" medium light-weight silk lisle, with pointex heel, "Dub-1" top, extra heavy spliced heel and toe; white only; 50c quality; "ONYX" DAY PRICE, 35c PR. 3 pairs for \$1.00

6607.—Women's "ONYX" pure thread silk boot with lisle "Dub-1" top; reinforced heel, sole and toe; black and white only; 50c quality; "ONYX" DAY PRICE, 35c PR. 3 pairs for \$1.00

Besides this sale you will find a great many other assortments of "Nugent" Hosiery at extra special prices. Lises, cottons, mercerized and pure silks.

H 408.—Women's "ONYX" medium-weight silk lisle "Dub-1" top, high-spliced heel and double sole; black only; 50c quality; "ONYX" DAY PRICE, 35c PR. 3 pairs for \$1.00

Women's "ONYX" Pure Thread Silk; a fine medium weight; "Dub-1" Garter Top of silk or lisle; high-spliced heel and double sole of silk or lisle; black and white; \$1.50 quality; "ONYX" DAY PRICE, \$1.00 per pair

### Going to Take a Trip? Then Take Advantage of This Sale and Buy Your Luggage Tomorrow

<b>\$4.50 Canvas Trunks, \$3.50</b> Built of basewood, covered with heavy duck, reinforced with brasses corners and clamps over hardwood slats and two leather straps, neatly lined, have hat trays. Sizes 30, 32, 34, 36, 38 inch.	<b>\$10.00 Trunks, \$7.50</b> Made of finest basewood, heavy duck covered, extra strong, reinforced with brasses corners and clamps over hardwood slats, full cloth lined, have hat and dress trays. Size 32, 34, 36, 38 inch.	<b>\$12.00 Trunks, \$9.00</b> Trunks built of 3-ply veneer lumber, fiber covered, reinforced with solid brasses steel trimmings, full linen lined, equipped with two trays and two leather straps. Sizes 34, 36, 38 inch.	<b>Special Nugent Trunks, \$16.50</b> Built of finest quality 3-ply veneer lumber, covered and lined with hard vulcanized fiber, all riveted instead of nailed, lined with fancy linen, equipped with two trays for hats and dresses. Size 36, 38, 40 inch.
<b>\$4.50 Leather Suit Cases, \$3.50</b> These Suit Cases are made of genuine leather, have two straps, leatherette lined, with shirt fold.	<b>\$5.00 Traveling Bags, \$3.75</b> Made of genuine leather, also leather lined, with inside pocket, reinforced corners, brasses lock and catches.	<b>\$3.00 Fiber Suit Cases, \$2.25</b> Made of fiber over steel frame, reinforced with leather corners, and two leather straps, neatly finished inside, with shirt fold.	<b>Matting Suit Cases, 89c</b> Matting Suit Cases, made over basewood frame, light weight. Sizes 24 and 26 inch.

### Both Large & Small Rugs—Savings of 25% to 35%

<b>\$25.00 Rugs, \$18.75</b> Alexander Smith & Sons' best grade Royal Axminster, size 9x12, all the new patterns.	<b>\$27.50 Rugs, \$18.35</b> Seamless Carleton Axminster Rugs, size 9x12, fine Oriental patterns.
<b>\$20.00 Rugs, \$15.00</b> Smith's Seamless Palisade Wilton Velvet Rugs, size 9x12, a splendid range of patterns.	<b>\$20.00 Rugs, \$12.85</b> Good quality Axminsters, size 9x12, both small and Persian medallion patterns.
<b>\$16.50 Rugs, Seamless, size 9x12, \$10.95</b> Fine Wilton Velvet Rugs, in handsome Oriental patterns. Big room size.	<b>\$25.00 Rugs, Seamless, size 9x12, \$18.00</b> More than 100; Alexander Smith and J. W. Dimick Rugs; seamless; perfect; beautiful patterns.
<b>\$30.00 Rugs, Seamless, size 9x12, \$21.90</b> S. Sanford & Sons' and Alexander Smith & Sons' Royal Axminsters—copies of real Oriental Rugs.	<b>Reductions on 2000 New Small Rugs</b> \$1.25 Katonah Velvet Rugs, size 36x54 ..... \$1.00 \$1.50 Alpine Axminster Rugs, size 18x28 ..... \$1.00 \$1.50 Palisade Velvet Rugs, size 27x54 ..... \$1.00 \$1.25 Best Axminster Rugs, size 18x28 ..... \$1.00 \$1.50 Colonial Velvet Rugs, size 27x54 ..... \$1.00 \$1.25 Saxony Axminster Rugs, size 27x54 ..... \$1.00

B. NUGENT & BRO. DRY GOODS CO., Broadway, Washington Av. and St. Charles St.



## RAILROADS SAID TO HAVE SQUANDERED FUNDS ON SUPPLIES

State Commission Asked to Inquire Into Awarding of Contracts for Ties and Steel.

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, April 14.—W. S. McCaull, chairman of the Railroad Committee of the Missouri General Assembly, today filed a petition with the Public Service Commission asking that several railroads be required to show whether or not they have squandered funds in steel and tie contracts, made with private corporations in which relatives and friends of railroad officials are financially interested.

McCaull recently filed an intervening petition opposing the proposed increase of rates. The petition made broad general charges of the same nature but contained no specific facts. McCaull declared that all the facts could only be obtained from records on file in the offices of the railroad companies, and demanded that they be ordered to produce them for examination by the commission. The commission suggested that McCaull amend his petition and specify the contracts he wanted examined and promised that the carriers would produce them.

**Queries Put to Roads.**  
With his amended petition McCaull today propounded the following interrogatories, addressed to the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, Frisco, Iron Mountain and Missouri Pacific.

"Each of the carriers may state what it paid during the years 1910 and 1912, 1913 and 1914 and 1915 for No. 1 white oak ties f. o. b. cars St. Louis or Kansas City, or other stations on their lines or inroads on the right of way of the carriers.

The carriers may state whether or not there was on file when such contracts were let, bids from other individuals or corporations offering to furnish ties at a less price than the contracts were let for.

"The Frisco may state what relation, if any, Mr. Nixon of the Western Tie and Timber Co., and what relation, if any, by blood or marriage, exists between the Nixon family of the Western Tie and Timber Co. and Mr. Middleton, traffic manager of the Frisco.

"The Frisco may state what it is paying for its tool steel and whether or not, when the present contract was signed, it had on file bids from another company at a much less price.

"The Frisco may state what connection, if any, its general engineer, Mr. Jacobs, has with the American Railway, O. C. Welding Co., and what material it is buying from that company.

"The Frisco may state how many of its engines are now being equipped with what is known as the Schubert sectional firebox, and the cost of the same, and what connection, if any, Mr. Jacobs has with the company furnishing same, and whether or not these are the same kind of sectional fire boxes that have been recently discarded by the Santa Fe.

**Wants Inquiry on Passes.**

"The Iron Mountain may state whether or not it furnished passes to E. E. Stone, Judge Lucey and W. A. Leach for their transportation to Jefferson City during the last session of the Missouri Legislature and the value of such transportation, also the amount of transportation and the value of the same used by the same three gentlemen in securing signatures to a petition to this commission for advanced freight rates, which petition has been filed at Iron Mountain exhibits Nos. 25 and 26, if, as a matter of fact, these three gentlemen, or any of them, did circulate said petition and use free transportation in so doing.

In support of his charge that special rates were made, discriminating in favor of certain corporations, McCaull demands this information:

"The Frisco may state what friend or relative, if any, asked for the establishing of tariff 1721NC on ties from Mansfield, Mo., to Ames, Mo., and what portion the Frisco received from shipments under that tariff up to Kansas City.

"The Iron Mountain may state whether or not in 1911 and 1912 its Mr. Perkins promised the representative of the Pullerton-Moses Tie Co. that it would reduce the rates on ties from points on the White River district in Missouri to points north of Kansas City; if the F. & M. Tie Co. should get contract for the St. Joseph & Excelsior Springs Electric Railway by underbidding other bidders. The Iron Mountain may also state why its tariff department denied that such a tariff was in existence, thereby denying other shippers the benefit of same.

"The Milwaukee may answer why it denied during the existence of the tariff mentioned in last item above, that they were a party to any such tariff.

"The carriers may state whether or not they have agreed with each other to penalize all persons or companies that have taken any part in compelling the carriers to comply with the Missouri maximum freight rate law and will they give to this commission all information they have concerning such agreements.

"The Frisco may state whether or not during 1913 and 1914 it purchased ties in Missouri and elsewhere from its contractors and shipped ties so purchased to the Chicago & North-Western Railway, the Milwaukee, the Madison Tie Co., and the Cattle River Co., and if so what prices it received for such shipments.

"Also, after deducting the regular published freight rate on such shipments was there a profit or loss sustained by it on that transaction." McCaull also demands that the railroads file statements showing what it cost them to maintain their "so-called campaign of education" in

newspapers and magazines and the amount of money they spent for the extensive lobby through which they tried to influence legislation in the last General Assembly. He also asks how many of the thousands of telegrams received by members of the Legislature were sent free and how

many were paid for by the railroads. McCaull is president of the McCaull Tie and Timber Co. of Kansas City.

**Warner's Pile Remedy**  
Relieves in 24 hours or money refunded. 50c a bottle at all druggists.

**Publisher of Poor's Manual Dies.**  
NEW YORK, April 14.—Henry W. Poor, 71 years old, banker, broker and an authority on railroad matters, died yesterday. For years he published the railroad manual which bore his name.

Special for Tomorrow, Thursday, April 15.

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## Why Pay More?

### 650 Young Women's Suits

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The Kind for Which You Pay \$25 to \$30 Elsewhere



This Suit \$17.98

Fine Ridged Wool Poplins Failles  
New Satin Prunella Cloths  
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Sports Checks New Novelties

The Bedell Suit at \$17.98 cannot be compared with any other garment below \$25 to \$30—not in mode, fabric or tailoring has it one iota of resemblance to the suit offered elsewhere at the price.

Every Correct New Spring Shade

The power alone of the Bedell organization makes possible the invincible values embodied in our \$17.98 suits. Your inspection is solicited.

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## Orpheus Player-Piano

In your Home at once—  
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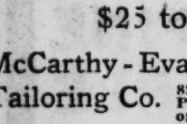


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## AUSTRIAN STATESMEN PUT RESPONSIBILITY FOR WAR SQUARELY UPON RUSSIA

VIENNA, via The Hague, April 14.—Confidence regarding the outcome of the war is everywhere expressed in competent Austro-Hungarian quarters, despite the enormous sacrifices entailed.

The Associated Press correspondent, during a month's stay in the dual monarchy, had an opportunity to meet and talk with virtually all the leading statesmen, including Count von Berchtold, the former Foreign Minister, and Count Apponyi, the opposition leader, and found none who indicated the slightest doubt regarding eventual success in the struggle.

Although men in authority were unwilling to be quoted directly by name, the correspondent was permitted to reproduce the substance of the replies to a series of questions regarding the responsibility for the war, its aims and objects, from the Austro-Hungarian standpoint, and its effect on the internal relations of the dual monarchy.

**Russia Blamed for War.**  
Responsibility for the war was put squarely on Russia, which for years, according to the views expressed, has been steadily working toward the destruction of the monarchy, using and encouraging Serbia as a "stalking horse" for this purpose.

The composite views of the statesmen are about as follows: "The spark which kindled the war was, it is true, an incident of the saddest nature to us, but the incident represented merely the consequence of a series of deeds and activities aiming at the destruction of Austria-Hungary. Americans, who naturally paid little attention at an earlier date to the events in Central and Eastern Europe, saw the curtain go up only at the moment when a great Power, Austria-Hungary, was about to call little Serbia to account. Their first impression was that the misdeeds of our greater strength. The situation in reality was quite different.

"For years it had been openly preached in Serbia that the southern provinces must be torn from our monarchy. It has been proven that the participation of officials and officers in the incitation of murder was not an isolated case.

"Secret societies, which were conducting a propaganda against us and inciting against us within the monarchy, were directed and prompted by men in official positions. Serbia, therefore, was tacitly involved in a state of war against us, which no state in the world could have tolerated.

"Serbia, however, would never have ventured to act so provocatively unless backed by Russia, whose Government used Serbia as an outpost entrusted with the duty of annoying, exhausting and provoking us until a suitable moment arrived to carry out its Pan-Slavistic plans. Pan-Slavism had been steadily growing in strength for 50 years. The Russian Government recognized the idea as the most suitable means for continuing its policy of conquest, whereby the Russian Emperors have been centuries enlarging the empire.

**"Attorney for Slav Races."**

The clearest definition of the cardinal principles of Pan-Slavism is that of the famous Russian, author Dostoevsky, who said: "All Slav streams must empty into the Russian sea." While within its own empire Russia oppresses the Slav peoples over whom it rules, it has constituted itself attorney for the Slav races beyond its borders, as a pretext for interfering in foreign affairs not determined by other states.

"Ruthenians, Poles, Czechs and Slovaks enjoy in Austria-Hungary all national rights, whereas Russia is a prison for the races not of Russian stock. Frightful persecution of the Jews are constantly recurring under the aegis and by the tacit encouragement of the authorities. These show to what depths Russian culture descends.

"Russia has long been preparing itself for this war and in recent years repeatedly carried out a so-called test of mobilization, enabling it to be most continuously an enormous army ready for operations within a few weeks. It was Russia which incited Serbia, and when Serbian agitation societies went so far as to suborn the murderer of the crown Prince and we wished to hold the Serbian Government to account, Russia determined to prevent this by proposing a conference at which Russia should appear as the advocate of Serbia, so as to reduce our measures against Serbia to a scale which Russia had decided was permissible. This was equivalent to the plain recognition of a condition in which Serbia would have all the rights against us which Russia would authorize, while we would have only such rights against Serbia as Russia should concede to us.

"In our own house even against murder. "Alternative of Suicide or War."  
"The subversive work against us proceeded and increased in vigor, for one of the main arguments of the Serbian propaganda was that we were too weak or too helpless to resist. The Russian Government knew very well that it was necessary for us to take steps against Serbia unless we wished to commit suicide, and thus gave us the alternative of suicide or war.

"The war is for us a war of self-defense and existence. For Russia the war is of conquest. Russia always pursues far-reaching plans. She desires domination or a protectorate over all the Slav peoples, and in addition, since the days of Peter the Great has aimed at Constantinople.

"An old Russian phrase declared that the way to Constantinople was 'By way of Vienna'; lately this has been modified to read: 'By way of Vienna and Berlin.' "Russia knew that the two central Powers would not tolerate the extension of Russian supremacy over Constantinople, which would make her mistress of the Balkan peninsula and the Orient. Russia, like all other Powers, has always been able to export products through the Bosphorus and the Dardanelles, and the necessity for safeguarding this commercial route is only a new pretext for the old desire to lay hands on the city at the meeting point of the Orient and Occident.

"Russia's policy is a policy of conquest.

Her Ministers have openly declared in the Duma that Galicia and Constantinople must become Russian, and the Emperor openly proclaimed the Pan-Slav idea at the beginning of the war.

"No one can know how long the war may last. It is no time for prospects. You may say this, however, that we are firmly resolved and have strength to conduct it to a successful end.

**States Closer Together.**  
"The war has brought the two states of the monarchy—Austria and Hungary—nearer together than ever before. Every one in both states realizes that the people are bound together for life or death. The questions, too, which exist between the various nationalities will be easier of solution after the war, because the

great struggle in which we are engaged has made it clear to all that each must rely on the other.

"Eight months of war also have proved that all know how to fight and the soldiers of all nationalities have learned to esteem the value of their comrades. Our troops, it is generally recognized, fight with splendid courage and unshakable obstinacy.

"We hope that Americans will come to see more and more what sort of a struggle we are waging. Austria-Hungary is by nature that which the United States has gradually become, although not to such an extent by immigration, namely, an entity composed of many races, which, nevertheless, wish to preserve their nationality and individuality. At the same time all would suffer if torn asunder.

"Emigration in the next few years, presumably will fall off, because the work to be done after the war will require at home very many of the hands which now seek employment across the ocean. Our relations with the United States will undoubtedly show steady growth. Shipping communication will be more frequent and our commerce will grow, because it is to be assumed that after the war Austria-Hungary will

experience a period of powerful economic development."

Louis Negole, Salesman, Falls Dead. Louis Negole, 67 years old, a salesman, fell dead last night in the

kitchen of his home, 3812 South Grand avenue. A physician said death was due to heart disease. Negole resided with his sister, Mrs. Mary Odenbach.

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Every mother realizes that this is the children's ideal laxative and physic, because they love its pleasant taste and it never fails to effect a thorough "inside cleansing" without griping.

When your child is cross, irritable, feverish, or breath is bad, stomach sour, look at the tongue, mother! If coated, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the system and you have a well, playful child again. When this little system is full of cold, throat sore, has stomach ache, diarrhoea, ADV.

Indigestion, colic—remember a good liver and bowel cleansing should always be the first treatment given.

Millions of mothers keep "California Syrup of Figs" handy; they know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups are plainly on each bottle.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs." Beware of counterfeiters sold here. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other fig syrup with contempt.

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is the sole shopping topic of the day. News of the wonderful bargains we are giving in all lines of bright new Spring and Summer apparel and Millinery has spread throughout the city with the result that this store has been taxed to its selling capacity every day of this sale—and the bargains are getting better and better because of the new shipments—all the arrivals in suits, coats, dresses, skirts and waist are being put into stock and removal sale prices attached—you are getting values in every department that are truly remarkable.

Some of the New Suit Modes in this special sale.

**Here Is the Way We Are Selling Suits in This Removal Sale—Values Up to \$29.75 at**

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Hundreds of new Suits that sell regularly at \$19.75, priced at... **\$12.50**

The finest silk and cloth Suits, priced up to \$39.75, on sale at... **\$24.75**

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Charming Dresses of superb quality, newest ideas of fine taffetas, messalines, charmeuse—rich black and white effects, checked chiffons and taffetas and splendid combinations—the most recent dress fashions just arrived—all at a remarkably low Removal Sale Price.

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**Nearly 200 New Spring Dresses**

Of taffetas, messalines, crepe de chine and rich chiffon combinations—that have been in stock only a few weeks—values up to \$22.50—on sale Thursday, in two lots at **\$5.00** and... **\$6.95**

**New Crepe de Chine Waists**

White, maize and flesh, charming styles—\$2.95 values—removal sale price... **\$1.95**

**Removal Sale of Millinery**

200 new Trimmed Hats for Thursday's selling—all fresh from our workrooms—made up of fine materials in the favored fashions of the day—Hats that would sell upward to \$12.50, choice... **\$4.75**

Untrimmed Hats, Flowers, Feathers, Ribbons at Great Reductions During This Removal Sale.

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Kid Williams the Only Scrapper Who Has Shown Superiority to Californian.

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Man He Fights Here Thursday in the List of Men He Has Conquered.

The presence in St. Louis of Eddie Campi to box Frankie Burns at the Coliseum Athletic Club on next Thursday night assures an attraction that is much above the average. These men are aspirants for the bantamweight title and both are challengers of Bantamweight Champion "Kid" Williams. Of the four most prominent bantamweight boxers in the country—Campi, Burns, Williams and Charlie "Dutch" Brandt of Brooklyn—Campi is conceded to be the cleverest boxer of them all. He is not a hard hitter, and depends upon scientific boxing ability to win his bouts, especially in the true of the last four years of his career. During that time he has engaged the best bantamweights with whom he could secure matches. Campi's most notable matches have been with "Kid" Williams, Frankie Burns, Charley Ledoux (the French champion) and "Louisiana" (Joe Eiderberg). The only one of this remarkable quartet who seems to have had a decisive edge over him was Williams. The latter won a 20-round bout from him on Feb. 2, 1913, at Vernon, Cal., and on Jan. 2, 1914, at the same place, knocked him out in the twelfth round.

### Campi Has Beaten Burns

Campi won from Frankie Burns, the man he is to meet on next Thursday night, in 20 rounds, at Vernon, on May 23, 1912, and then boxed him a 15-round draw at Denver, Colo., on Oct. 10 of the same year. In his bouts with Ledoux and "Louisiana," Campi was the winner, receiving a decision over the former after 20 rounds on June 24, 1913, at Vernon, and outboxing the latter in a non-decision six-round bout that took place in Philadelphia on April 27 of last year. Campi was born in San Francisco July 4, 1892, and is of Irish-French descent. He is 5 feet 4 inches tall, and has a reach of 69 inches. He has been boxing for about seven years. His right name is Eddie Tecampas. According to the records, Campi has lost but four decisions, the men who are credited with defeating him being Jimmy Fox, Joe Eiderberg and Pete Herman. He afterwards won from Fox and boxed him two draws, was again defeated by Wil-

## Willard's Ring Struggles —and— Rise to the Championship

ROBERT EDGREN will tell you all about them in a series of 10 stories which will be begun in the Post-Dispatch tomorrow.



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No fighter in the history of world's title combats has thrown quite as big a shadow across the page of pugilism as the giant Kansas.



JESS WILLARD.

No writer gave us quite as vivid a word-picture of the wrestling of the title from the black champion as

Robert Edgren sent out from the ringside at Havana. The collaboration of these two men in telling of Willard's climb to the top should not only result in a gripping narrative, but one exact as to facts.

DON'T MISS THIS TREAT!

llams and lost a 20-round decision to Herman at New Orleans on Sept. 13 of last year. Campi reached St. Louis last evening. He has been boxing regularly of late and is in good form as was demonstrated by his defeat of Jimmy Murray in New York City on last Saturday night. However, his long trip, with only Wednesday and Thursday to prepare himself for his encounter with Burns may place him at a slight disadvantage. Burns has been here since Monday morning, working out at the South Broadway A. C., and is in good condition.

### Brandt Not in Shape

It was originally intended that "Dutch" Brandt should be the opponent for Burns, but the Brooklyn mauler contracted a bad case of malaria while in New Orleans recently and was obliged to return home, calling off a 20-round match he had scheduled with Arthur Simons. It was thought that Brandt would recover in time to meet Burns, but his physician advised that he would be unable to do any more boxing for a couple of weeks or more, hence the place against the "Jersey Skeeter." Campi will work out this afternoon at the Business Men's Gymnasium at about 3 o'clock. Tom Burke and Fred Nelson, who appear in the semi-windup of the show, are to make 158 pounds ring-side. They appear to be quite evenly matched and a good bout is expected. Much interest is being taken in the result of the preliminary bout between Jim McCormack of this city and Johnny King of Chicago. McCormack has established quite a reputation by winning his first three bouts as a professional in a total of four rounds, all of them by a knockout. King has had years of experience and is a hard man to hurt.

## VAUGHN FOR CUBS; SALLIE OR GRINER FOR CARDS TODAY

Weather Clear and Cold for N. L. Opening in Chicago—Big Parade Planned.

CHICAGO, April 14.—With St. Louis as their opponents, the Chicago Nationals were ready for the opening game of the season here today. The day was clear and preparations had been made to handle a record-breaking crowd. Manager Bresnahan planned to start Pitcher Vaughn, while Sallee was the probable pitching selection of St. Louis. Catcher Archer, whose fingers were damaged on the training trip, was in improved condition and ready to take his turn behind the plate. With Archer in the game, Bresnahan planned to direct the play from the coaching lines. A parade of automobiles from Grant Park, on the lake front, to the ball park, and the usual opening day ceremonies were to precede the game.

### Cliff Brady Released

Manager Huggins arrived here this morning from Cincinnati and reported to his staff who reached these parts last night. Huggins failed to find Catcher Gonzales from the Reds, although he seems satisfied with his conference with Garry Herrmann. The Cardinals manager announced today that he had released Cliff Brady, a St. Louis youth who made the training trip to Texas, to the Detroit (Three Stars) League club. Brady will report on call, as he is satisfied with the swap. The Cardinals are all fit for battle, although it is doubtful even this morning whether Dolan or Long will show in center. They may alternate.

## Potthoff to Box Puff Martin for Pikeway Honors

Pugilistic Game Takes Hold on Athletes at Washington University.

Eddie Randall has started something. When Randall first started his bi-weekly trips out to Washington University to teach the students of the Pikeway the art of self-defense, it was thought that boxing was merely to be added to the curriculum of the gymnasium. However, the ring sport has taken such a hold at Washington that several of the students have turned their attention from baseball and other college sports to boxing. Next Saturday afternoon "Puff" Martin and "Boise" Potthoff are scheduled to meet in a 10-round bout for the light heavyweight championship of the university. Potthoff is a former champion of the University of Wisconsin, with no hitting on the breaks. The two boxers are to enter the ring at 155 pounds. Both are now a little overweight, but with a bit of road work should be able to get within that figure. The bout will be held outdoors on the Francis Field campus. Either Eddie Randall or Dr. William Edmunds will act as the third man in the ring. "Puff" Martin first started his climb in the road to the championship when he knocked out Jerry Meyers, claimant to the title, several weeks ago. Potthoff challenged the winner of the bout at ringside. It is planned to hold tournaments in the various other weight divisions. Several weeks ago two bantams, Jolly and Cozzens struggled to an eight-round draw. The bout will be but one feature on an extensive athletic program at the university Saturday. The baseball game between the varsity and the Kinsey A. C., that was postponed from last Saturday will be played. An inter-departmental track meet has been arranged, and the one mile class relay race will be run. This event will decide the class track championship of the Pikeway, as the meet last Saturday resulted in a tie between the seniors and the sophomores.

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### WILLARD CANNOT SHOW SKILL ON GOTHAM STAGE

NEW YORK, April 14.—Permission was sought yesterday by Jack Curley, manager of Jess Willard, to have the world's champion heavyweight put on the stage at Hammerstein's Theatre. The boxing commission to which the application was made, reiterated its refusal to permit Willard to box on any stage in this State. Manager Curley was told that if the champion desires to box he must conform to the rules of the commission and that means putting on the gloves only in the roped arena of a club licensed by the State.

### LAJOIE WILL BE HONORED AT THE OPENING TODAY

PHILADELPHIA, April 14.—The weather greeted the fans who traveled to Shibe Park today to see the opening game of the season between the Philadelphia American League champions and Boston. This was Lajoie day, in honor of Napoleon Lajoie, the veteran second baseman who came back to Philadelphia after an absence of 15 years. Incidental to the opening, the 1914 American club pennant was hung to the breeze. The battery predictions were Leonard and Carrigan for Boston, Bush and Schang for Philadelphia.

### GIANT MEETS GIANT

NEW YORK, April 14.—The two giants—big Jeff Touseau and big Jeff Pfeffer—will be the opposing pitchers in the opening encounter at the Polo Grounds today. Right now Touseau is in the best shape of any of the Giant pitchers, and if Pfeffer is in condition the fans may expect to witness a fine pitchers' battle. Chief Myers will be the receiver for Touseau, while Lew McCand other handle the curves of Pfeffer. Both George Burns of the Giants and Jake Daubert, the peerless first sacker of the Robins, who have been on the injured list, will be in the game today.

### Yesterday's Fight Results

New York—Al Relch bested Porky Flynn, 10 rounds.  
Boston—Joe Jeannette and Sam Langford fought for the world's lightweight title, and Jeannette won the decision, after 12 rounds. Straight lefts held them at bay.  
New York—Gusboat Smith had a slim shade over Charlie We-1 zert, 10 rounds.  
Norristown, Pa.—Tommy Coleman bested Billy Maxwell, 10 rounds.  
Philadelphia—Willie Lucas bested Jack Farrell, six rounds.  
Lexington, Ky.—Andre Anderson outboxed Marty Cutler, 10 rounds.

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## Tobin's Speed Saves Game for Fielder Jones

Youthful Outfielder's Steal of Third Turns Tide of Victory in First Inning.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 14.—Johnny Tobin, the St. Louis boy, was the big show in the victory for the Terriers over George Stovall's aggregation here yesterday, 3-5. All Tobin did was to tap out three bingles and draw a pass

in four times up, score two runs and drive across the other and swipe two bases. Bob Groom, who held the Kays to six bingles, was his chief co-worker. In the first inning, Tobin walked, was "sacked" to second. With Barton at the bat, Tobin pulled the unexpected by stealing third on the fourth ball. Then Tobin and Barton worked a double steal, the former sliding over the plate in the fifth. Johnson opened the seventh with a single, went to second on an out and scored on a single by Tobin. The second game of the series will be played this afternoon. Fielder Jones probably will send Southpaw Watson against the locals. Advertise your property as though you believed its sale or rental to be important, by keeping it listed in the Big House, Home and Real Estate Directory.

## New Head of City Parks to Promote Civic Athletics

Dwight Davis, Retiring Commissioner, Thanked by Municipal League Delegates.

The annual banquet of the Municipal Soccer and Basketball Leagues held at the City Club last night, proved one of the most successful ever given. It was attended by many of the city officials and all the soccer and basketball players. Dwight Davis, who steps out as Park Commissioner, was handed a pleasant

surprise, when he was presented with a large engraved certificate, thanking him for all that he had done for municipal athletics in St. Louis during the last four years. Davis presented the winning teams in the soccer and basketball leagues with the cups, medals and banners. Nelson Cuniff, who succeeds Davis as Park Commissioner, told the boys he would do all in his power to keep up the good work in municipal athletics started by Mr. Davis. He was highly enthusiastic over the prospects for a great season for the local amateur. A. A. McLaughlin of the T. M. C. A. gave a talk on efficiency in athletics. "Only West of the Columbia A. C. Dr. Tott, Father Thompson and Father Dooley were other coaches. Ed Jacks and Bob Lee furnished some good music. Robert Clifton was elected president of the Soccer League, Brother Hubert vice president, Michael Clancy secretary and Walter W. Klein treasurer. The basketball officials selected were as follows: Arthur Hilar, president; J. H. Barrett, vice president; O. Moorman, secretary, and Walter W. Klein, treasurer.

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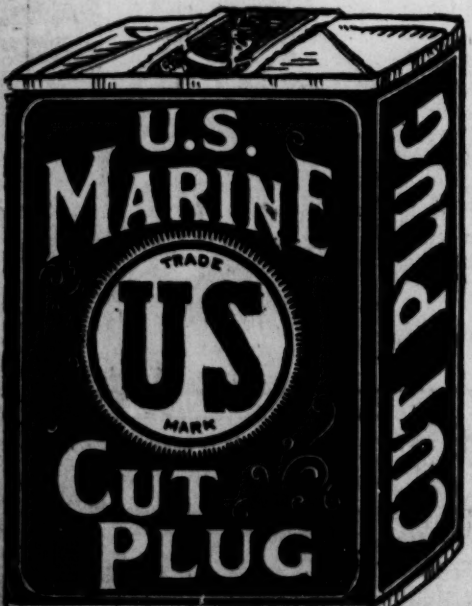
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## GERMANY GROWING STRONGER, SAYS SHIPPING PRINCE

Herr Ballin, After Seeing Kaiser, Tells Correspondent of Economic Conditions.

### CONFIDENT OF VICTORY

Says America Will Benefit by Trade Boom He Expects to Follow War.

By GUSTAVE C. ROEDER.  
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch and New York World who has just returned from a tour of Germany.

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There is probably no person, military or civil in Germany today who is closer to the Emperor than Herr Ballin, director-general of the Hamburg-American line. It is doubtful whether the members of the Kaiser's household enjoy his confidence more than does the head of the great steamship corporation.

When the war started, Emperor William looked to Ballin to see to it that the economical situation be well cared for and that the army—which had been mobilized by the Kaiser—efficiently provisioned.

Since hostilities started the Emperor has been in the field with his troops. Now then Ballin has been summoned to army headquarters for the purpose of conferring with the Kaiser. He has visited him in the east as well as in the western theater of the war zone. With Ballin the Emperor has freely and unreservedly discussed affairs of state, but particularly economic questions, which after all, were of most vital importance to the future and to the probable outcome of the gigantic strife.

Meets Ballin at Hamburg.  
In order to learn the facts as viewed by the Emperor himself, the Post-Dispatch correspondent placed himself in communication with the shipping magnate. The wishes of the Post-Dispatch were made known to Ballin. Some days later an invitation was extended to the visitor to come to Hamburg. Ballin had by that time returned from his latest visit to the Emperor, whom he had found at general headquarters in the field, of course, but just exactly where Ballin did not make known. The writer did not press his informant for specific information on that point.

Ballin was in his office overlooking the Alster basin in Hamburg. Just behind the desk and as though he were looking over the shoulder of the German shipping lord there was a life-sized painting of the Kaiser.

After the writer had made known the exact nature of his mission to Germany at this time, Ballin said he was glad to know an American newspaper had sent a representative to Germany to see and hear and learn at first hand just how matters stand today.

"I fully realize," said Ballin, "that my friends in America must feel puzzled at the reports that have reached them concerning affairs in the Fatherland. We know that there is no direct communications by cable to the United States from Germany now, and that everything you get comes to you via England, and particularly via the censor. No doubt you were told before you left home in America that Germany was at the point of starvation; that there were bread riots here, and even potato riots and that the German people who are still at home were frightened to death."

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because enemies of the country were knocking at every one of our gates, and that within a very short time the armies of the allies would be marching in Unter den Linden in Berlin.

Asks Only for Fair Play.  
"In the first place, I want to congratulate the Post-Dispatch and New York World," continued Ballin, "because of their great sense of fairness, and every German appreciates the fact that your great newspapers have dispatched a representative to our country to learn at first hand just how matters stand with us. I know that you have just completed an exhaustive travel through our country; that you have seen things with your own eyes, and all we ask is that you represent matters just as they are; just as you find them. When you do that, and we know you will do that, for otherwise the Post-Dispatch and New York World would not have sent you to Germany now. We are satisfied that the feeling which up to date, has existed in America against Germany, in certain circles, will be changed. I have always been a great admirer of Mr. Pulitzer's sense of accuracy and fair play. I leave it all with his newspapers."

The writer told Ballin that what the American people wanted to know at first hand was how long the war was going to last. Ballin shook his head, shrugged his shoulders and, with a smile, replied: "My dear sir, this is a question which nobody in Germany can correctly answer today. We simply don't know. I wish I did know."

"But you have just come from the Emperor," said the Post-Dispatch representative. "Did not His Majesty tell you? You are so close to him, as everybody knows."

"It is true that I have just seen the Emperor," promptly replied the great steamship man, "but I am sorry to say that I don't think even His Majesty could answer that question. He doesn't know either."

Kaiser Directs All Big Moves.  
Ballin said that the Emperor attended to nearly every detail as far as the shipping was concerned. He stated that everything of importance is referred to the Kaiser and that he is personally directing every important movement.

"And did the Emperor say anything to you about America—about the shipment of arms and ammunition from the United States to the allies?" was asked.

The lord of the merchant marine shook his head, saying: "We never discussed that question at all." Ballin was asked about the future of the shipping interests between Germany and the United States.

"Well," he replied with a good-natured grin, "as far as this is concerned shipping across the Atlantic Ocean from Germany has stopped entirely; that is in German steamers. We are busy now only on the Baltic and in the North Sea. The only direct communication by steamer between Germany and the United States is by the cotton steamer that comes under the American flag and they sail only from Bremen. There are none coming from Hamburg, you know. These cotton steamers take the export from Germany."

The Post-Dispatch informant was asked whether there really still exists an export trade from Germany.

"Yes, indeed," answered Ballin, "the exports to the United States did not fall off to any great extent, which, as a matter of fact, is really astonishing. We now ship via Scandinavian ports, and of course also via Holland."

Pleanty of Men for Army.  
"As far as Germany is concerned," said Ballin, "we need not be in a hurry. As a matter of fact, time is in our favor. The longer this war lasts the stronger Germany will get. In the first place, we have enough soldiers on hand and enough for the future. You don't see our streets deserted. There are still lots of fine looking, able-bodied men walking about, who have not yet been called to the colors. Germany's army will always be a plentiful one."

"As far as the food question is concerned, that has been settled to our satisfaction."

Electricity. This overhead wire could easily be replaced by steel wire, and as a matter of fact we can do that almost immediately. Steel wire would answer almost as well as the expensive copper wire now in use. Of course there are thousands of other ways through which we could secure all the copper we need.

"It is true," continued Ballin, "there is just now a scarcity of oil—that is, we have all we need for the army, but for general private and commercial use oil has been placed upon the restricted list. We are more or less short of gasoline, although ways and means may be found to secure that. Now, for our motor cars we have come across an excellent substitute in benzol. That answers every purpose and is made out of coal. It really is very good and works well, too."

"I confess there is a scarcity in rubber," stated Ballin, in answer to a question by the Post-Dispatch representative. "We have to seize all the rubber from Northern Brazil, but as long as there is enough for military purposes the civilian population must simply put up with a few what you might call discomforts. Remember these are war times."

The interviewer then spoke to Ballin about the great and pronounced feeling of hostility, extending even in some circles to hatred, existing in Germany against America and Americans because of the reports that arms and ammunition were shipped from the United States to the allies, while on the other hand none could reach Germany from the same source.

"Yes," he replied, "we are very sorry that all this amount of guns and ammunition should be sent to the allies from the United States. Quite naturally, we feel that otherwise the war would have ended long ago."

Blames England for War.  
The writer then talked at great length with Ballin about the origin of the war, knowing that his answer must quite naturally be the same as though it had been made by the Emperor, because he and the great ship merchant undoubtedly

satisfaction. It is true we have asked our people to be careful in the use of flour. But we know that Germany will never be short of flour and other necessary foodstuffs as long as the war lasts. And as for guns and ammunition and other munitions of war? May I guess that during your stay in Germany you ever visited the great Krupp works at Essen? Well, then, you saw for yourself. Our great item will be as to the financial situation," continued Ballin. "You have just read the result of the latest public subscription to the war. Nine milliard marks. Think of it! That alone, and better than anything else, answers your question. I guess these nine milliard marks will prove to the outside world just what our people think of the final outcome of the war."

"Do you know," continued Ballin, "that our friends in the East, and those in the West, have relieved us of even feeding our army. In the East the Russians are supplying an army with food, and in the West France and Belgium are doing that little favor for us. No cause for worry there, you see."

The attention of Ballin was called to the general report that there was a shortage in copper and that this alone interfered with the future of the war.

Pleanty of Copper.  
"True," replied Ballin, "there is not quite as much copper about as we would like to have. But rest assured, we have copper in plenty. And we can get more even if none should come from the outside. Just let me give you a little inside information. In a few cities in the northern part of Germany we have 12,000 tons of the finest copper we can lay upon almost at a moment's notice."

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# The Jarr Family

Written for the Post-Dispatch  
By Roy L. McCordell.

Mrs. Jarr Annexes a \$100 Windfall and Saves It Until It Is All Gone.

"SN'T it getting a little dark for sewing?" asked Mr. Jarr cheerily as he came home the other evening to find Mrs. Jarr sitting at the window in the waning light of the chill spring late afternoon.

"Oom thish oom bush so sosh pickler," was the Delphic reply, and then Mr. Jarr was aware she was speaking as though she had a mouthful of pins.

"What say?" inquired Mr. Jarr. Mrs. Jarr took the pins out of her mouth because she wished to make clear to him the matter of her wifely sacrifices.

"I was saying this work was not particular," she said in pinless tones. "It's only my old taffeta dress. I got some goods to match it and I'm putting new sleeves in it so I can knock a turn or two out of it. I am not so fortunate as some women, like Clara Mudridge-Smith, for instance, who can get a new dress every five minutes."

"What was the matter with the old sleeves?" asked Mr. Jarr. "Did you tear them out?"

"I ripped them out," replied Mrs. Jarr, "and I had the hardest time to get the material to match the rest of the gown. It was so long since I got the dress."

"How did you come to rip out the sleeves? Did you have any accident on the street car?"

"Listen to the man!" cried Mrs. Jarr impatiently. "Certainly I did not have any accident. If I did I could get a new dress from the street car company, as Mrs. Hickett did the time she got off the car backward and broke her arm. But Mrs. Hickett always was lucky."

Mr. Jarr could not see Mrs. Hickett's adventure of the torn dress and the broken arm in the light of luck, but he did not wish to argue.

"I never recognized how radical the changes in style were until I went to the theater the other night and looked at the dresses in the boxes. If ever 'working woman' was written on anybody's clothes they were on mine—and on a good many other women's clothes at the same theater. If that's any consolation—"

"Well," said Mr. Jarr softly, "you are a working woman and I am a workman. I don't see why we should be snobs and not acknowledge the fact."

"Why don't you be a regular European peasant like in a comic opera and wear a workman's blouse and be done with it then?" asked Mrs. Jarr. "I notice you are careful to dress like a business man and wear the same kind of hat and clothes most fairly well-to-do men wear."

"Well, cheer up," said Mr. Jarr. "The worst is yet to come. Fact is, old lady, I did a little bit of extra business for the boss today that pleased him highly, and he has promised me a check for a hundred dollars. You can take it and buy anything you want with it."

"Won't that be splendid?" said Mrs. Jarr, brightening up. "I can get a new spring tailored suit of covert cloth with gaiters to match and the dearest little hat I saw downtown the other day. I paid \$5 on it and asked them to put it away for me. I think it's real sweet of you to tell me you are going to give me the check to buy a new outfit. Goodness knows I needed it, but then that isn't your fault, for when you do give me a little extra money there is something needed for the house or for the children. But this time I'll get a dress and hat for myself."

"Sure you must," said Mr. Jarr, and Mrs. Jarr put away her sewing materials. But when Mr. Jarr came home a few days later, after giving Mrs. Jarr the check, he found new china on the table, a new rug in the parlor and Master Willie Jarr and little Emma rejoicing in new clothes.

"Where did all this splendor come from?" asked Mr. Jarr.

"Why, the check for a hundred dollars you gave me," was the reply.

"Why, I gave you a new hat to get yourself a new dress and a new hat and the other things you needed," said Mr. Jarr.

"Oh, never mind," said Mrs. Jarr. "I put new sleeves in my old taffeta and it looks splendid. Clara Mudridge-Smith thinks it's a new dress, and has just been pestering me to death to tell her where I got it. She wants one just like it, she says, providing it is not too expensive!"

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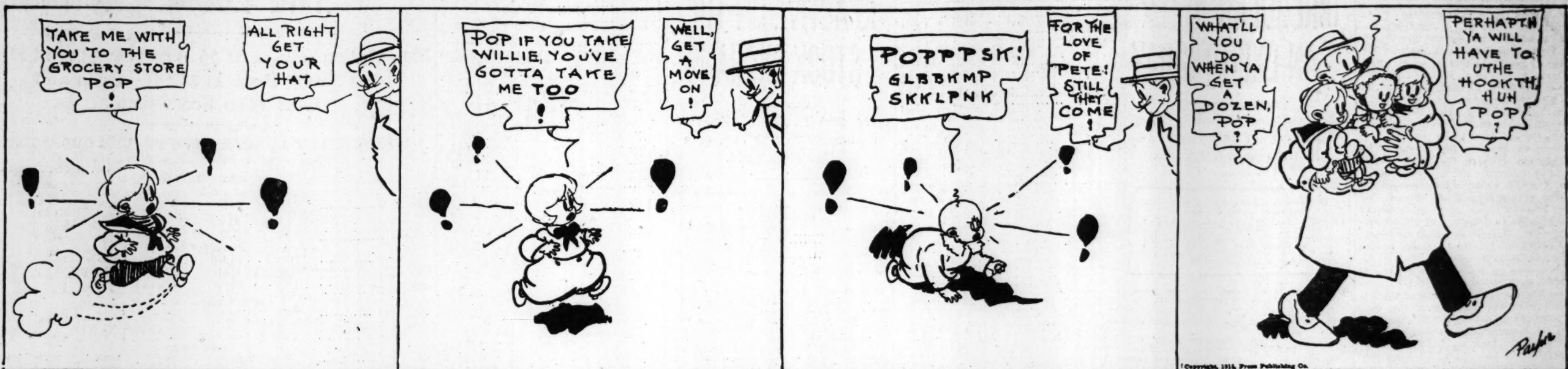
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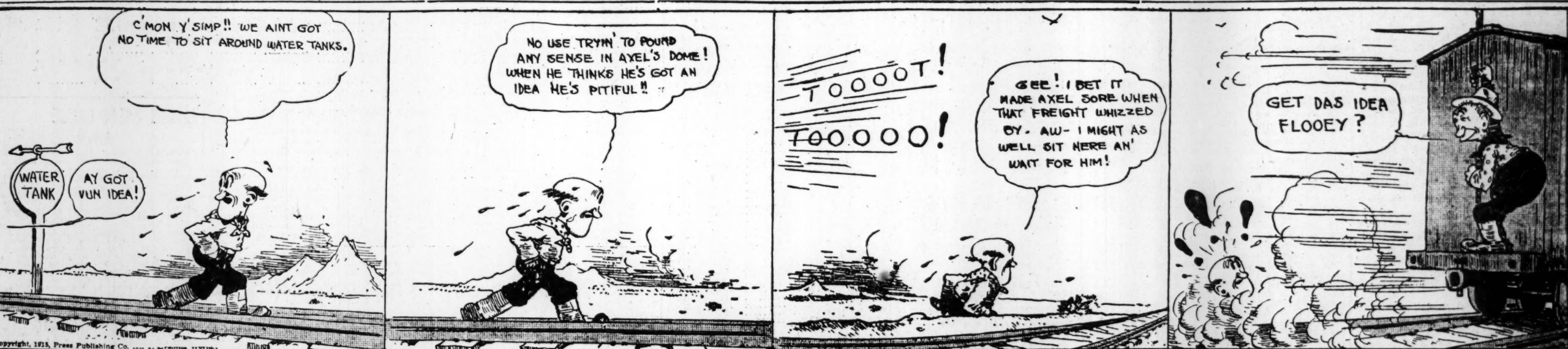
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## Beautiful Sight to Him

RECENTLY, during a voyage to England, the passengers of a big liner were treated to the remarkable sight of a spouting whale. Everybody, of course, was greatly interested, but one man in particular almost went into rapture.

"Say, Bill," remarked a passenger, addressing an acquaintance, "wonder who the fellow is who is going daffy over the whale?"

"His name is Smith," answered the other. "He is a plumber in a big Eastern city."

"I see," returned the first, smilingly. "But why should he be so enraptured?"

"Nothing could be plainer," smiled the second. "He imagines that every spout of the whale is a busted water pipe."

## Inconsiderate.

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"Mother, I shouldn't have thought Dr. Gordon would have spoken that way about Christians this morning. There might have been some of them in church!"

## Equation.

IT must be delightful to live in the country and raise vegetables and chickens.

"Not always. The chickens I raised wouldn't let me raise any vegetables. They razed them for me."

## Reason.

I AM going to write a successful modern novel.

"Why, I did not know you wrote?"

"I do not; but my great-aunt's mother's half-sister's brother did and I was named after him."

## A Solo.

IN these family spats it takes two to make a quarrel, I suppose.

"Yes, but it isn't at all necessary for one of 'em to say anything."

## Strictly a Love Match.



"Both were so certain they were marrying above themselves."

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HE: Are you fond of sports, Miss Greene?

SHE: Oh, Mr. Toughly, this is so sudden!

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## On Going to Concerts.

JOSEF HOFMANN has a story which illustrates the attitude of many people toward recitals of piano music.

An eminent pianist was to give a concert (but Hofmann does not relate that it was his own) and as the audience was filing in the ticket-taker stopped a man who presented two tickets.

"You can't go in," asserted the official. "You are not in fit condition."

"Didn't I pay for my tickets?" questioned the would-be auditor. "Aren't they in order?"

"They're perfectly in order," was the reply, "but the truth is, you're drunk."

"Drunk? Drunk?" mused the other, solemnly, and placing the passports in his pocket. "Of course I am drunk. If I weren't drunk, would I come to a piano recital?"

## A Domestic's Problem.

A WOMAN says that the best cook she ever had left her good job to get married, according to the Cleveland Plain Dealer. The cook's new husband didn't turn out to be such a hero as he was expected to be, and the cook came back to confide her troubles to her former mistress.

"He's a pretty good husband, ma'am," she said, "but he likes me so often I can't hardly stand it so more."

"Why don't you have him arrested?"

"I've been thinking of that. But I got a lame back and can't wash no more, and how would I ever get the money to pay his fine if he was pinched?"

## Basis of Charge.

BAIRD-HEADED GENTLEMAN (in barber's shop): You ought to cut my hair cheaper. There is nothing much to cut.

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## How to Make a Hit

A Handy Manual for Rude Persons.

By Alma Woodward.

## At the Movies.

FIRST—Come in late. When the usher assures you that there isn't a vacant seat in the house farther front than next to the last row, don't believe him. Saunter down the aisle and take a leisurely survey yourself until the people hiss at you for obscuring their view of the picture.

SECOND—When the usher comes down to expostulate with you, hold an animated discussion with him, still in the aisle.

THIRD—When you finally discover the vacant places don't choose the ones on the aisle in the last row. On the plea of getting closer to the screen make 14 people in NEXT to last row clutch their hats, coats, canes, umbrellas, hand bags, etc., and rise to allow you to pass in front of them just at the second that the hero fires the fatal shot at the villain.

FOURTH—As you twist your way to the desired seat step on gouty toes, fall over a couple of splinters in the floor and click your tongue against the roof of your mouth every once in so often in violent protest at some inconsiderate person's embonpoint.

FIFTH—Don't take your hat off until the usher reminds you of it. Then before you comply with the request look daggers at the person immediately in back of you and remark, audibly, to your friend: "My goodness! This dinky little hat, too, when I wore it on purpose so's not to trouble anyone! Just for that I'm going to fluff my hair" way out. Heavens! People are getting fussy in these jitney shows! You'd think you were at the opera!"

SIXTH—If you are seeing a movie that has been adapted from a book or a play be sure to tell your companion in just what way the situations have been changed. This way: "Why, in the book it doesn't end that way at all! He doesn't go away. If I remember rightly he stays and forces the other man to the wall, or drives her out, or makes her father come and get her, or something. Anyway, it's different from this, and much, MUCH better!"

SEVENTH—Give the life history of the leading lady as you've culled it from the different movie magazines. Tell how her fatal beauty has caused all the leading men to become infatuated with her; how she has to have them fired when they get too troublesome; how she gets \$2500 a week; how she has a husband who drinks; how the millionaire owner of the company gives her limousines and how she pretends she wins them in popularity contests.

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